カミムラ晋作
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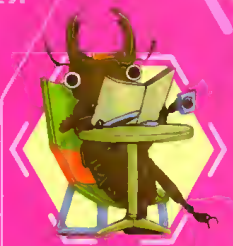

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Yasutaka Fujimi
昆虫は細かくて難しい…その昆虫を沢山、描いて下さるカミムラ先生に感謝! 感謝ですっ!!

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大都会の死角や、部屋の片隅など知らないところで昆虫たちの脅威は広がっている!!

ムシあるところに彼女あり!!

昆虫のことなら、おまかせの女子高生・榎稲穂が様々なトラブルを解決。
あなたはまだ昆虫の本当の恐ろしさを知らない!!

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魂を震わせる新世代コミックス!!

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えにゃさむ ①巻 [しまたわかば]
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書籍

車田正美 人生を語らず [車田正美]

I...I DON'T WANT TO ANYMORE
INAHO~! NEXT TRY THIS ONE ON~!
IT'S ENOUGH FOR SCHOOL
学校のでいいっ
IT'S A RARE TRIP TO THE SEA, SO YOU MUST TRY ON SOME MORE
じゃん☆

Act.1 TO THE FINAL KOMA (?) ◆◆◆

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ORIGINAL WORK
FUJIMI YASUTAKA
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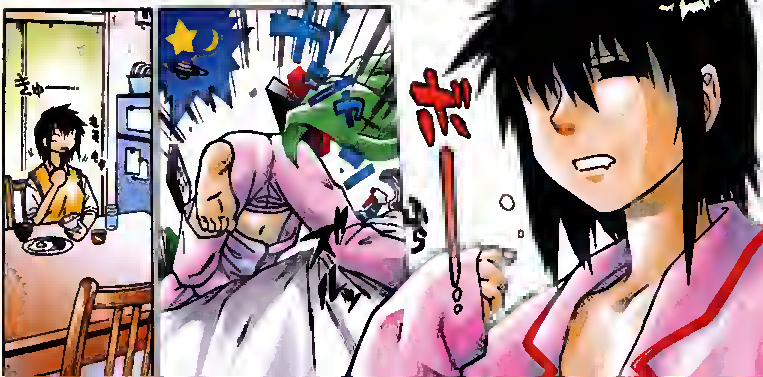
KAMIMURA SHINSAKU



OH, INAHO-CHAN
IT'S ALREADY 8 O'CLOCK
YOU'RE STILL HERE?
MO-MOM
YOU... YOU ARE RIGHT
I'M HEADING OFF!
THE BIKE IS AT THE MAIN BUILD-ING
WAH!
OH MY
WHAT'S THE MATTER, YU-KUN?!
WHAT HAP-PENED?
IT HURTS!!
SHOW ME!

THE SKIN OF A CHILD IS SOFT AND ALLOWS IT TO PENETRATE THE DEEPEST LAYERS VERY QUICKLY----
BEES DIE OFF ONCE THEY'VE STUNG THEIR TARGET, HOWEVER THE POISONOUS STINGER CONNECTED TO THEIR INTESTINES REMAINS ALIVE FOR SOME TIME
IN THE WORST CASE SCENARIO, THE STINGER CAN REACH THE BLOOD VESSELS AND DESTROY IMPORTANT ORGANS...!!
IT'S FAIRLY DEEP INSIDE
THE STINGER OF A BEE...!
THIS IS...
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ウネ
IT'LL BE FINE...
WHAT IN THE WORLD SHOULD WE DO?!
OH... MY GOD!
I'M LUCKY!

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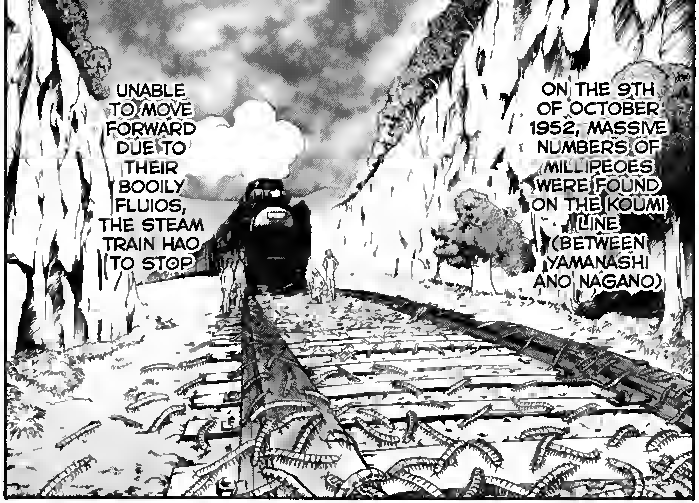
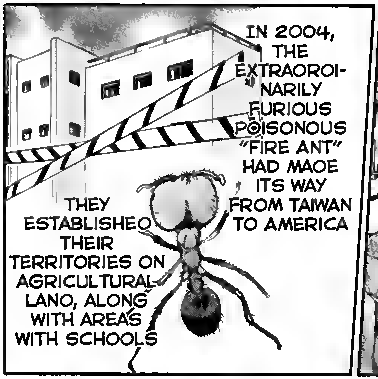
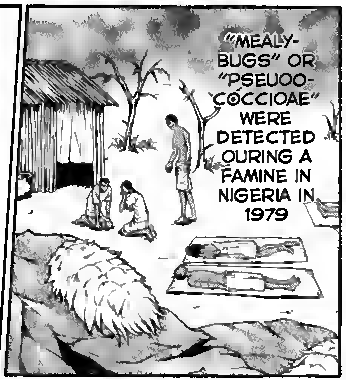

UNABLE TO MOVE FORWARD DUE TO THEIR BODILY FLUIDS, THE STEAM TRAIN HAD TO STOP
ON THE 9TH OF OCTOBER 1952, MASSIVE NUMBERS OF MILLIPEDES WERE FOUND ON THE KOUMI LINE (BETWEEN YAMANASHI AND NAGANO)


IN 2004, THE EXTRAORDINARILY FURIOUS POISONOUS "FIRE ANT" HAD MADE ITS WAY FROM TAIWAN TO AMERICA
THEY ESTABLISHED THEIR TERRITORIES ON AGRICULTURAL LAND, ALONG WITH AREAS WITH SCHOOLS



Act.1／BUSINESS SUSPENSION

AH! A RHINOC-EROS BEETLE!
HOW NICE, ONEE-CHAN!
HM?
SORRY... BOY, BUT THIS IS ALREADY RESERVED FOR SOMEONE ELSE
WHEN I CATCH ANOTHER ONE, I'LL GIVE IT TO YOU
YEP
IT'S A PROM-ISE!

TN NOTE: IMPORTANT HERE IS THAT SHE USES THE KANJI FOR HADES OUTFIT OR OUTFIT FROM HADES, BUT THE SPELLING OF BOTH IS THE SAME.

THIS IS THE RHINOCEROS BEETLE THAT YOUR BROTHER ASKED FOR
WAAH!!
THANKS!
I DID IT BECAUSE IT WAS A REQUEST FROM A CLASSMATE
MY BROTHER WILL BE EXTREMELY HAPPY...
DO YOU KNOW HOW TO TAKE CARE OF A RHINOCEROS BEETLE?
AND WHAT DO YOU INTEND TO GIVE IT AS FOOD?
FOOD ...
FOR A RHINOCEROS BEETLE... A WATERMELON?
REMINDS ME OF SUMMER
EH?!
NOT A WATERMELON!
THE WATER AMOUNT IS TOO HIGH, THE BUG WILL GET DIARRHEA
IF YOU WANT TO GIVE SOMETHING, THEN AN APPLE IS MORE FITTING, RIGHT?
AFTER THAT... IF YOU WANT TO MAKE SURE IT LIVES LONG THEN YOU'LL HAVE TO GIVE IT ONE PIECE OF COMMERCIAL HIGH PROTEIN JELLY ONCE A WEEK
YOU CAN ALSO BUY THIS IN STORES
EHE...
THAT'S WHAT YOU DO?

どーん
I WON'T HAND IT OVER IF YOU FORGOT WHAT I JUST SAID!
AAH..... I... I GOT IT...
TYPICAL

THIS IS A "FUJIMI SHIKI" CONVE-NIENCE-BUG-CONTAINER
A STRANGE CON-TAINER
HEARD THIS FROM AN ACQUAINTANCE

IT'S THE BASICS...
THANKS♡
BUT THAT'S INAHO FOR YOU, HUH. I DID NOT KNOW THAT WATER-MELON IS BAD FOR IT

② PUT BAMBOO GRASS AT THE ENTRANCE WHERE YOU DRINK, AND KNOT IT!
KNOT IT HERE
① FIRST, CUT 1/3RD OF THE PET BOTTLE OFF
WHEN YOU COLLECT BUGS ON HILLS OR FIELDS AND DO NOT HAVE A BUG CONTAINER WITH YOU, YOU CAN EASILY MAKE ONE BY CUTTING A PET BOTTLE
③② IT'S A SUCCESS WHEN IT IS A TIGHT FIT!
NEXT PLACE THE REMAINING PET BOTTLE ON IT FROM THE OPPOSITE SIDE
THERE ARE ALSO THINGS THAT YOU CAN'T DO WITH A PET BOTTLE
INSECT SECTION
THE METHOD OF PRODUCING A "FUJIMI SHIKI" CONVENIENCE-BUG-CONTAINER

BYE
AH, WAIT, INAHO!
♡I WILL FIX YOU SOME LUNCH
AS THANKS FOR THE BEETLE
EH!? NO, I DID NOT MEAN TO—
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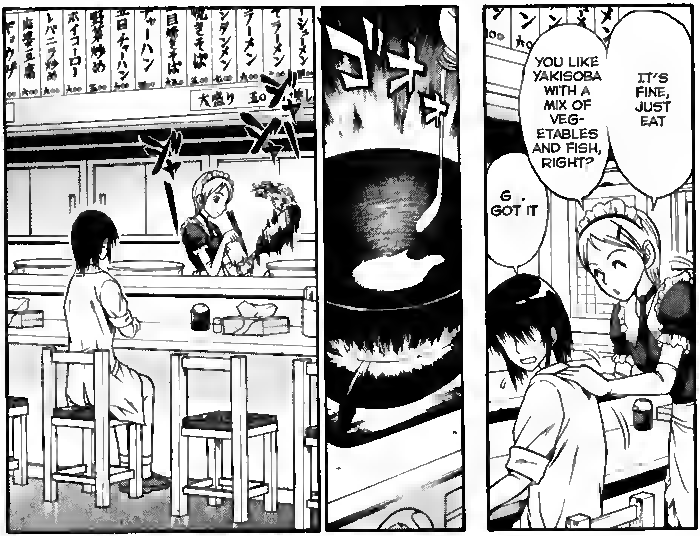
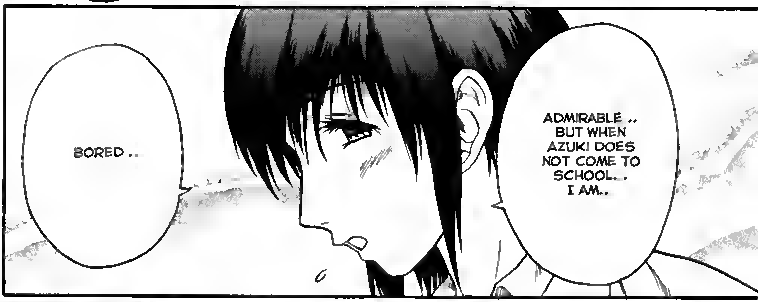

IT'S FINE, JUST EAT
YOU LIKE YAKISOBA WITH A MIX OF VEGETABLES AND FISH, RIGHT?
G. GOT IT
ゴォォ

AZUKI ALSO HAS IT QUITE DIFFICULT, BEING ALONE
YOUR FATHER AND MOTHER ARE STILL.. ?
YES .. THEY ARE IN THE HOSPITAL BECAUSE OF THE ACCIDENT
AND IT'S AZUSA
IT CAN'T BE HELPED, I CANNOT JUST CLOSE THE SHOP DOWN


ADMIRABLE .. BUT WHEN AZUKI DOES NOT COME TO SCHOOL.. I AM..
BORED ..

INAHO...
SO YOU STILL HAVE NOBODY OTHER THAN ME THAT YOU CAN TALK TO?
ズー
AH— SORRY! SORRY!

FINISHED!
ゴトッ
...
ぱくっ
HMM SOUR, YUMMY
ムグムグ
INAHO IS GREAT WITH BUGS, BUT SHE HAS A REALLY STRANGE TASTE...
BY THE WAY,
ALTHOUGH IT'S LUNCH-TIME, THERE ARE NO OTHER GUESTS BESIDES ME
WHAT'S WRONG?
TO BE HONEST...

REDDOTEI-SAN!!
HEY!! WHAT IN THE WORLD IS WRONG HERE,
RESULTED IN FOOD POISONING, AGAIN!!
!
ONE OF OUR RESIDENTS ATE FROM YOUR PLACE AND IT...
THA... THAT'S NOT...
FO- FOOD POISON-ING?!

I THOUGHT IT WAS STRANGE FROM THE BEGINNING!
YOU ARE STANDING IN THE KITCHEN AND IT'S THE SECOND TIME!
IT'S NOT SOMETHING YOU CAN WISH ASIDE WITH 'THAT'S NOT'!
.....
WELL, WELL, MANAGER
YOU DON'T HAVE TO GET SO VIOLENT!
OWNER!!

LISTEN WELL!
WAIT A MINUTE. LISTEN.
I HAVE TO DO THIS OR THE YOUNG LADY WILL GET SPOILED
IT'S FINE LIKE THAT~~
OK...?!
IF THIS DOESN'T CHANGE THEN MY REPUTATION AS THE MANAGER WILL BE TARNISHED!
I WANT OUR CUSTOMERS TO LEAVE OUR BUILDING WITHOUT FOOD POISONING!
HA! THERE'S A RESIDENT WHO WAS HOSPITALIZED AFTER EATING FROM YOUR PLACE
.....
THAT'S SOME MISUNDERSTANDING!!
I HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH THE FOOD POISONING!

ISN'T THIS DESERTED STORE ENOUGH PROOF?
THA- THAT'S BECAUSE YOU ARE SPREADING RUMORS
THIS STORE WILL SHUT DOWN ANYWAY?
WELL, IN THAT CASE,
……?
YOU CAN EARN YOUR MONEY IN A SOAP LAND WITH THAT BODY, CAN'T YA!?
SO… SOAP…!?
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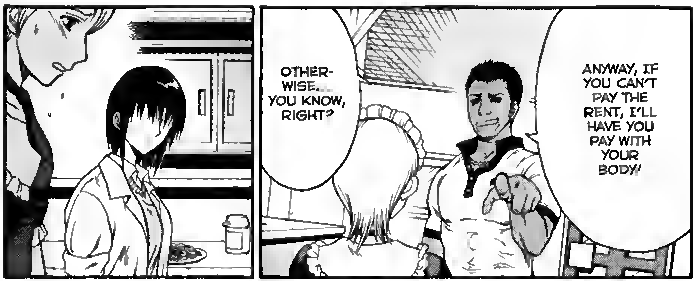
ANYWAY, IF YOU CAN'T PAY THE RENT, I'LL HAVE YOU PAY WITH YOUR BODY!
OTHER-WISE... YOU KNOW, RIGHT?

HEY!
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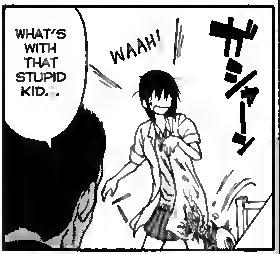
!

FURTHER-MORE, SOMETHING LIKE FOOD POISONING.

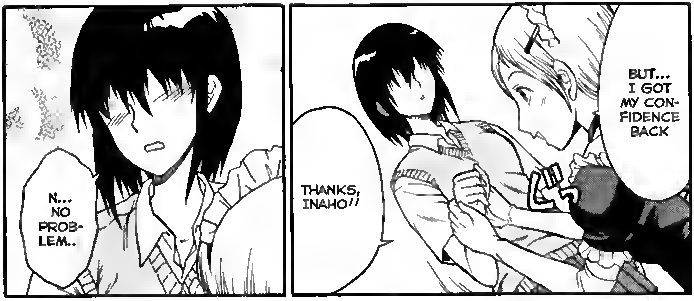
THERE HAVE BEEN NO INSPECTION RESULTS SO FAR, RIGHT?
IF YOU ASK ME, YOU SHOULD NOT CARELESSLY BRING UP FOOD POISONING IN A FOOD STORE!


WHAT'S WITH THAT STUPID KID..
WAAH!
ガシャーン

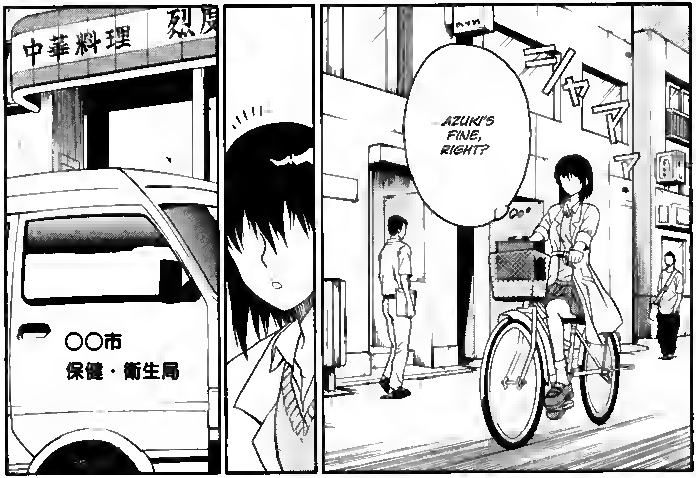
THE HEALTH CARE SECTION WILL VISIT THIS STORE AGAIN, TOMOR-ROW
WE WILL SPEAK THEN, OK...
OKAY ..
NOW THEN LET'S GET OUT OF HERE
PREPARE YOURSELF FOR TOMORROW
YOU CAN ALSO PACK IN ADVANCE!
バタン
.....
SHIT...
.....
どろーー
AH, INAHO! ARE YOU OKAY?...
PRE-PARING

AZUKI... WHAT HAPPENED?
ACTUALLY...
YOU HAVE REALLY SEEN SOMETHING UNPLEASANT, NE
LAST WEEK, SOME CHILDREN WHO ATE HERE
SUDDENLY HAD STOMACH ACHES
THEY NATURALLY DOUBTED THIS PLACE AND ASSUMED THAT IT WAS FOOD POISONING, SO THE HEALTH CARE SECTION CAME, BUT
NOTHING CAME OF IT...
. THAT'S STRANGE
EH?

RAMEN ¥¥
CHAHAN ¥¥
GOMOKU ¥
YAKI SOBA ¥
SHIO RAMEN ¥¥
MISO RAMEN ¥¥
IT'S NOT STRANGE FOR CHILDREN TO HAVE STOMACHACHES, HOWEVER..
IF THE STORE'S FOOD IS THE SOURCE FOR THE FOOD POISONING,
THEN THE PARENTS EATING THE SAME FOOD SHOULD GET SICK AS WELL
EVEN THOUGH I SPENT A LOT OF TIME PREPARING THIS OUTFIT FOR THE CUSTOMERS..
がっくり
AH ~~ DON'T FEEL SO DE-PRESSED!
IN SOCIETY, IF YOU HAVE A BAD REPUTA-TION THEN NOBODY WILL COME ANY-MORE, NE~~~
I ALSO THINK THAT IT'S SOMETHING ELSE..
YES..
EHP IS THAT SO?
EVEN WHEN IWAHO GUAR-ANTEES THE TASTE...
HAVE SOME CONFI-DENCE!!
IF YOU MAKE SOMETHING DELICIOUS, THEN THE CUSTOMERS WILL RETURN!

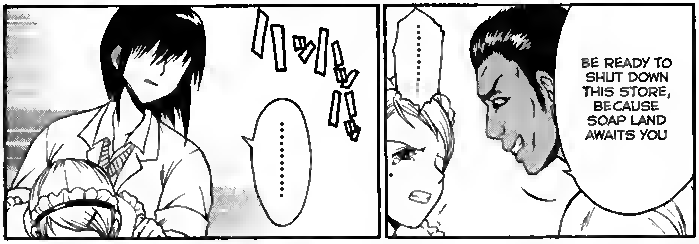

N... NO PROB-LEM..
THANKS, INAHO!!
BUT... I GOT MY CON-FIDENCE BACK

THE NEXT DAY
ROYAL PARK INN


中華料理
烈
〇〇市
保健・衛生局
AZUKI'S FINE, RIGHT?

AZUKI... HOW DID IT GO?
ゲファァ
……
EH?!
IT... IS OVER...
ポロッ
ポロポロ
EVEN THOUGH THEY COULD NOT FIND ANYTHING IN THE STORE...
IT WILL BE A BUSINESS SUSPENSION, UNTIL THE INSPECTION IS ENTIRELY OVER
BECAUSE IT OCCURRED TWICE...

I'M GLAD THAT I WAS QUICK IN REPORTING THIS DANGEROUS STORE!
JUST AS I ANTICIPATED
HAHA! LOOKS LIKE A BUSINESS SUSPENSION!


BE READY TO SHUT DOWN THIS STORE, BECAUSE SOAP LAND AWAITS YOU

IT'S PAINFUL..
IT'S PAINFUL, INAHO..

AZUKI...
KUUUH.. THE STORE..
I WASN'T ABLE TO HOLD DOWN THE FORT... FOR MY FATHERS RETURN..

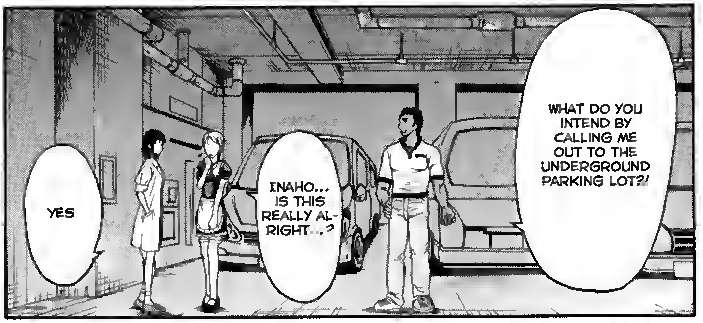
PLEASE LEAVE ME ALONE.
SORRY, INAHO...
THERE DEFINITELY...
SHOULD BE AN ALTERNATE REASON...
THE AZUKI I KNOW...
IS NOT SOMEONE WHO WOULD BE THE CAUSE OF FOOD POISONING...!
BUT... EVEN IF I HAVE A LOT OF KNOWLEDGE ABOUT INSECTS,
BACTERIA AND GERMS ARE NOT MY FORTE...

AZUKI...
I AM SORRY...
...I AM
USELESS...
WHAT IS THIS---
SO SMALL AND CUTE---
THERE ARE MORE OVER THERE
HUWA HUWA~~~♡
HM?
SMALL AND CUTE.
ゆる
THO-THOSE ARE...
!!!

BOY AND GIRL!
MAKE HASTE AND GET AWAY FROM THIS AREA!!
!?
AND WASH YOUR HANDS PROPERLY WITH SOAP!!
BYE
WHAT WAS THAT?
HER BIKE IS SLOW
IT CAN'T BE, NO!
HA
HA
IF MY ASSUMPTIONS ARE CORRECT...

PARKING LOT
駐車場
AZUKI!!
INAHO..
I KNEW IT..

THE STORE'S NOT AT FAULT!!
I KNOW THE TRUTH BEHIND THE FOOD POISONING!!
!!


WHAT DO YOU INTEND BY CALLING ME OUT TO THE UNDERGROUND PARKING LOT?!
INAHO... IS THIS REALLY ALRIGHT...?
YES

I WILL IMMEDIATELY
SHOW THE MANAGER THE "REAL CULPRIT" OF THE FOOD POISONING...!
HAA? REAL CULPRIT?
INTERESTING... THEN LET ME HAVE A LOOK
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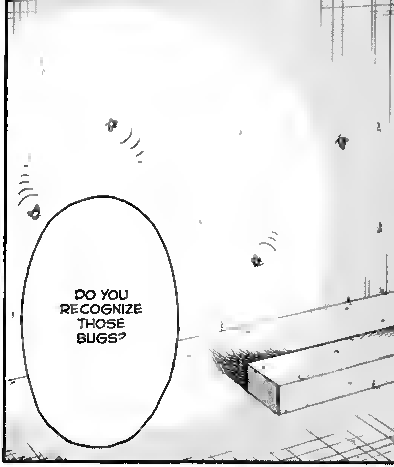
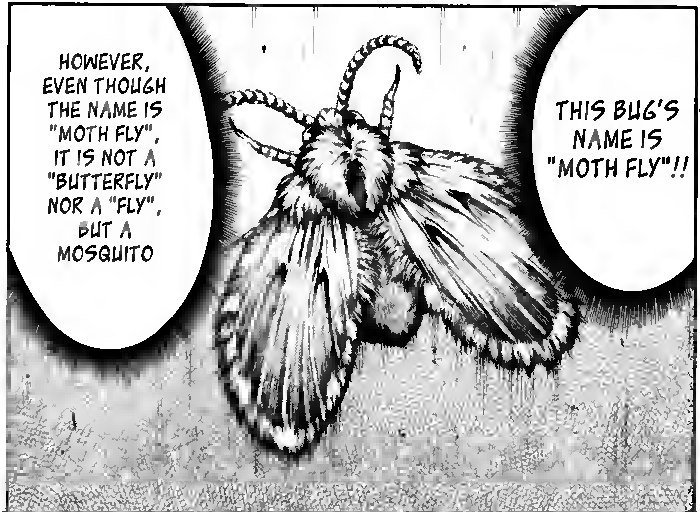
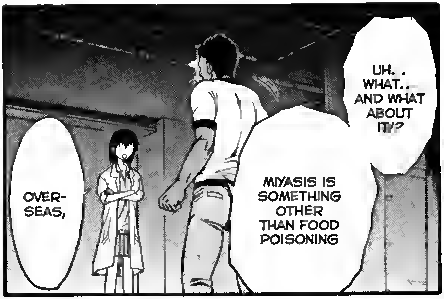


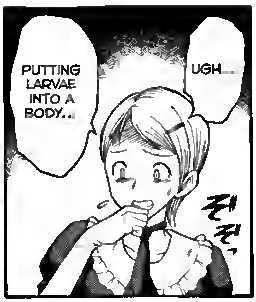


TN NOTE THE MOTH FLY IS ALSO KNOWN AS "PSYCHODIDAE" AND NOT A MOTH, DESPITE CARRYING THAT NAME; THE MOTH FLY IS CALLED CHOUBAE IN JAPANESE AND A COMBINATION OF CHOU, WHICH MEANS BUTTERFLY AS WELL AS A 'NIGORIZED FORM OF 'HAE', WHICH MEANS FLY. THE ACTUAL MOTH IS RELATED TO THE BUTTERFLIES AND THUS THE EXPLANATION WORKS JUST FINE IN ENGLISH AS WELL, BUT I STILL DECIDED TO GIVE SOME ADDITIONAL JAPANESE INFO FOR THE INTERESTED

HA HA HA IT CAN'T BE....
YOU MEAN TO TELL ME THAT THIS BUG IS THE CULPRIT?
INAHO... THE PEOPLE FROM THE HEALTH CARE SECTION HAVE SEEN THOSE BUGS, AS WELL
THIS BUG IS THE PROBLEM, THEN THEY WOULD HAVE KNOWN, RIGHT?
.....
WELL CURRENTLY THIS INSECT HAS NOT BEEN RATED AS HARMFUL IN THIS COUNTRY YET
SO THE HEALTH CARE SECTION ALSO WOULD NOT CONSIDER THEM AS THE CULPRIT, RIGHT?
DOESN'T THIS MEAN THAT THERE'S NO CONCERN AFTER ALL?!
IN THIS COUNTRY
INSECT SECTION
MOTH FLY
UNTIL NOW THEIR LIVING ENVIRONMENT IN THIS COUNTRY WAS VERY LIMITED AND THEIR NUMBERS ARE LOW, BUT...
THE INSECTS ANNUALLY ADAPT TO THE URBAN ENVIRONMENT AND INCREASE THEIR RANGE OF ACTIVITY WITH THE RISING BUILDINGS OF THE CITY
OVERSEAS THEY ARE INCLUDED IN THE GROUP OF HARMFUL INSECTS THAT CAN CAUSE "MIYASIS"
....!!
"MIYASIS"...?! WHAT'S THAT?

MIYASIS IS WHEN A FLY AND SIMILAR INSECTS PUT LARVAE INTO THE OPEN WOUNDS OF MAMMALS
EVEN IN JAPAN THERE REMAIN RECORDS OF PARASITES OF THE MOTH FLY IN THE EYE, THE BRONCHIAL TUBE OR THE URINAL BLADDER
IN THE AMAZON THERE ARE ALSO VERY DANGEROUS TYPES OF INSECTS THAT PUT PARASITES UNDER THE SKIN, LIKE THE "SPOTTED FLESH FLY" OR THE "SCREW WORM FLY"... !!


UH.. WHAT.. AND WHAT ABOUT IT?
MIYASIS IS SOMETHING OTHER THAN FOOD POISONING
OVER-SEAS,


UGH...
PUTTING LARVAE INTO A BODY..
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COOKING OIL..
THE CHINESE FOOD, NE!
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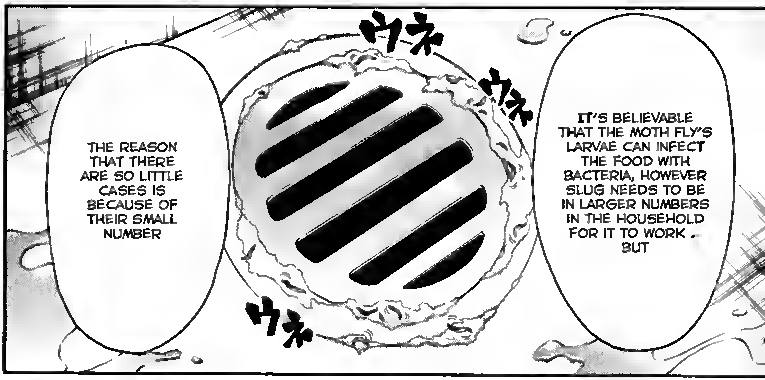
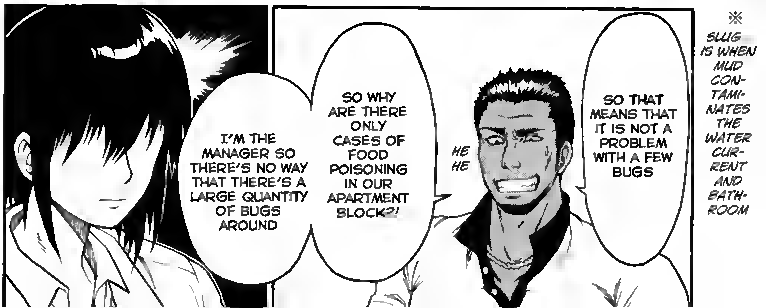
THE SAPROPHYTIC BACTERIA OF THE MOTH FLY AGGLUTINATES WITH THE COOKING OIL AND A WEAK TOXIN IS CREATED. CASES OF THAT WERE REPORTED..!

CHILDREN ARE FULL OF CURIOSITY
WAH!
THEY GAIN INTEREST IN THE WHITE AND FLUFFY MOTH FLY AND TOUCH IT
THEIR RESISTANCE AGAINST THE TOXIN IS ALSO LOW..

SO I THOUGHT THAT THERE WAS SOMETHING MISSING AND IT TURNS OUT THAT IT WAS THE GROWNUPS THAT HAVE NOT COME IN CONTACT WITH THE MOTH FLIES!
THE FIRST VICTIMS OF FOOD POISONING WERE RESIDENTS OF THIS APARTMENT COMPLEX AND FURTHERMORE ONLY CHILDREN

DON'T SAY THOSE RECKLESS THINGS!!
YOU ARE BLAMING THE INSECTS, BUT
I KNOW THAT THOSE CARRY BACTERIA! YET WHY HAVEN'T THERE BEEN ANY CASES OF ILLNESS IN THIS COUNTRY?!


IT'S BELIEVABLE THAT THE MOTH FLY'S LARVAE CAN INFECT THE FOOD WITH BACTERIA, HOWEVER SLUG NEEDS TO BE IN LARGER NUMBERS IN THE HOUSEHOLD FOR IT TO WORK . BUT
THE REASON THAT THERE ARE SO LITTLE CASES IS BECAUSE OF THEIR SMALL NUMBER


※ SLUG IS WHEN MUD CONTAMINATES THE WATER CURRENT AND BATHROOM
SO THAT MEANS THAT IT IS NOT A PROBLEM WITH A FEW BUGS
HE HE
SO WHY ARE THERE ONLY CASES OF FOOD POISONING IN OUR APARTMENT BLOCK?!
I'M THE MANAGER SO THERE'S NO WAY THAT THERE'S A LARGE QUANTITY OF BUGS AROUND

AZUKI!!
YOU HAVE SOME GLOVES RIGHT?
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REALLY DARK. HM?
THE...
THE SEPTIC TANK...
THE SOURCE OF THE PROBLEM LIES HERE!
HOWEVER THE MOTH FLIES ARE HERE

THE... THE WALL IS MOVING?!
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UWAAAAAH!!

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THIS BIG NUMBER OF MOTH FLIES UNDERGROUND, HAS CRAWLED UP FROM THE WATER DRAIN PIPE AND MADE THE ENTIRETY OF THE APARTMENT BLOCK THEIR HOME
WHEN I LOOK AT THIS NUMBER, CHANCES ARE THEY ARE MOST LIKELY IN THE CLEAN WATER TANK...
MOST LIKELY THEY WILL KEEP INCREASING IN THE SLUG OF EACH HOUSEHOLD'S WATER FACILITY AND BATHROOM
WHA- WHAT?!
THE METHOD TO GET RID OF THE MOTH FLIES IS NOT THAT DIFFICULT
JUST APPLYING DETERGENT OR 60°C HOT WATER IS ENOUGH TO REMOVE THEM
BUT... IT IS BETTER TO CONSULT A SPECIALIST, AFTER THEY HAVE MULTIPLIED THAT MUCH
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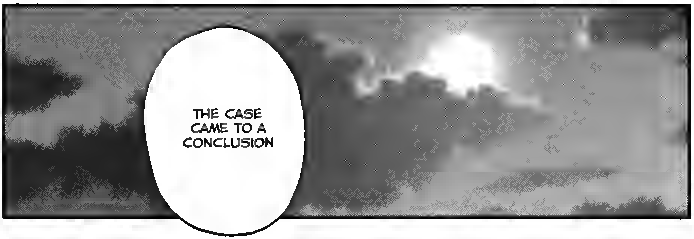
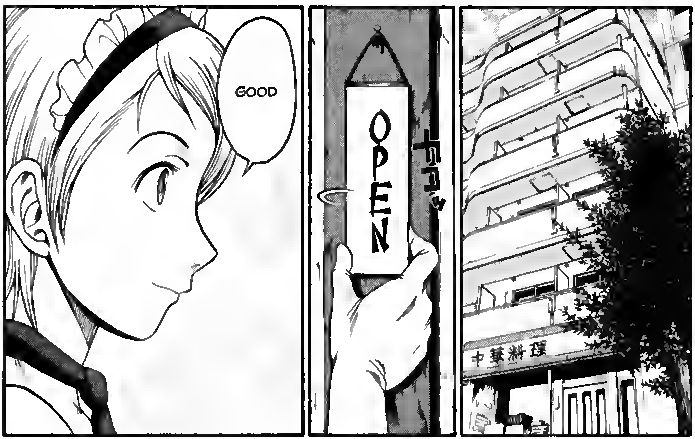
!?
SOMETHING LIKE TORTURING PEOPLE TO OVERSHADOW YOUR OWN NEGLIGENCE
IS SCANDALOUS!!
EVEN IF YOU DID NOT KNOW ABOUT THE ECOLOGY OF THE MO FLIES
YOU HAD TO PROPERLY CHECK AND CLEAN THE WATER PIPES!

IF YOU GUYS KEEP QUIET, EVERYTHING WILL WORK OUT JUST FINE!!
!
WHAT ABOUT THAT?!!
NOW THAT IT HAS COME TO THIS I WILL USE FULL FORCE TO DRIVE YOU OUT!!
AZUKI .
INAHO ..!
GEH...
O-OWNER!!
THE ONE WHO WILL LEAVE IS YOU!

GUH AH...
I WILL SPEAK WITH THE HEALTH CARE SECTION
THEY WILL CERTAINLY ALSO INQUIRE ABOUT YOUR RESPONSI-BILITIES
I HAVE HEARD EVERYTHING
UH...
AH!
HI, HI!!!!!
THE... THE MOTH FLIES AARRE...

HII... SA-SAVE ME...
FOOD POISON-ING. MIYASIS ~~~
REDDO-TEI-SAN
YE-YES!
SORRY ABOUT THE TROUBLE
YOU CAN TAKE YOUR TIME, PAYING THE RENT
YE... YES!
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!


THE CASE CAME TO A CONCLUSION


GOOD
OPEN
中華料理

INAHO--!
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THANKS!!
YOU REALLY SAVED ME YESTER-DAY!
I.. I JUST..
STUDY THE ECOLOGY OF INSECTS IN URBAN AREAS..
NEXT WEEK IS SUMMER HOLIDAY, NEE.....
SOON MUM AND DAD WILL ALSO GET DISCHARGED
LET'S GO TO THE SEA TOGETHER ----!!
EH?!

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DID YOU HEAR !?
THE ONE WHO SOLVED THAT INSECT CASE WAS INAHO-CHAN !
AS EXPEC-TED FROM THE DAUGH-TER OF THE BIOLOGY MUSEUM FAMILY.
I WONDER... IF I SHOULD SEEK ADVICE FROM HER AS WELL.
HAVE YOU HEARD? THERE'S AN 'INSECT PROFESSOR' IN THIS SCHOOL.
AH. ENOKI-SAN FROM CLASS 3, RIGHT ?
THAT WHITE ROSE !
SHE KEEPS TONS OF STAG BEETLES. THEY ALSO FIGHT IN TOURNA-MENTS !!
HEE~~~~ IMPRES-SIVE !
BUT THIS GIRL—
ACT.2/KILLER BEE

ACT.2/KILLER BEE

HERE INAHO !!
Satomi Azusa (Cherry Blossom Girl's High - Second Year)
Enoki Inaho (Same Grade)

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TAKE THIS.
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YA !!
I THINK YOU'LL DEFINITELY BECOME AN AMAZING TENNIS PLAYER IF YOU PRACTICE REGULARLY.
WITH YOUR HEIGHT AND STRENGTH,
I I AM PLAYING SERIOUSLY !!
SHEESH ! QUIT FOOLING AROUND AND PLAY SERIOUSLY, INAHO!

FOR ME... THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE !!
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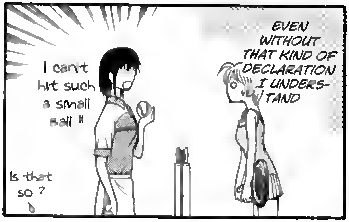
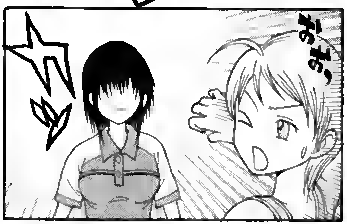

I can't hit such a small ball !!
Is that so ?
EVEN WITHOUT THAT KIND OF DECLARATION I UNDERSTAND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AS OF LATE, THERE HAS BEEN VERY BIG BEES AROUND THE APARTMENT.
BIG ... BEES ?

NOW AFTER THE MOTH FLIES, YOU GOT RATS ?
BINGO... ERR NO. THE STORE IS ALREADY FINE !
MORE IMPORTANTLY... AZUKI, WASN'T THERE SOMETHING YOU WANTED TO ADDRESS WITH ME?
IT'S AZUSA !
BUT, YES, YES !

INAHO... CAN'T YOU DO SOME-THING ABOUT THEM ?
AND... SO...
GRIN
THE PEOPLE IN THE NEIGHBOU-RHOOD ARE SCARED AS WELL.
I ALREADY SPOKE WITH THE MUNICIPAL OFFICE, BUT...
AT THIS TIME OF THE YEAR, THERE ARE A LOT OF BEES AROUND, THE EXTERMINATORS CAN'T COME WITHIN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS.
I ALREADY SPOKE ABOUT YOU WITH THE LADIES IN THE NEIGH-BOURHOOD, INAHO !!
TELLING THEM THAT YOU WILL DO SOMETHING.
PLEASE ! INSECTS ARE YOUR SPECIALTY, RIGHT !?
EH !?
YO. YOU MEAN ME !?
THANKS, INAHO~~~ ~~~
WAAH~~~ !
O... OKAY...
I WILL TAKE A LOOK, JUST A LOOK.

I... I GOT IT. I NEED SOME EQUIPMENT, SO LET ME GO HOME FIRST.
OK~~~~ I WILL GO SHOPPING, TOO.
EH !? RIGHT NOW !?
OKAY ! LET'S TAKE THE INITIATIVE !
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1-3
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YOU ARE WIDE OPEN, SIS !!
IN THE STORE.
YOUR PARENTS ?
COME ON IN !

FLAP
HEY! STOP THIS YOU GUYS !!
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HAHA
A FULL VIEW OF YOUR PANTIES. ♪
GOT'CHA.
WAHHHHHH!

I... I'M SORRY, INAHO, THIS IS MY YOUNGER SISTER AND BROTHER.
SI, SIBLINGS ?
YES, THEY'RE ALREADY IN GRADES 5 AND 3, AND IN THEIR REBELLIOUS YEARS...
WA WA
IT'S THIS EMPTY ROOM OVER THERE...
SLIDE
SEE ? THERE ARE A LOT FLYING AROUND OVER THERE.
!!!

WHAT'S WRONG ?
THAT IS BAD.... !!
THESE ARE THE BIGGEST AND POISONOUS HORNETS IN THE WORLD.....
HORNETS... THOSE FAMOUS ONES !?
THE VESPA MANDARINIA OR GIANT HORNET !!!
GIANT HORNET
CLICK
CLICK

INSECT PROFILE
GIANT HORNET
IT IS AFTER ALL THE MOST POISONOUS AND BIGGEST TYPE OF HORNETS LIVING IN JAPAN !
IT'S NOTED THAT THEY USUALLY BUILD THEIR HIVES IN THE MOUNTAINS (UNDERGROUND OR IN TREE TRUNKS), BUT RARELY WOULD THEY BUILD THEM WITHIN THE CITY
THEIR MAXIMUM BODY LENGTH IS 5CM AND THEY HAVE ENOUGH STRENGTH TO ATTACK A HIVE WITH 40, 000 APIS MELLIFERA, ALSO KNOWN AS EUROPEAN HONEYBEES.
AND WIPE THEM OUT COMPLETELY WITHIN 2 HOURS, WITH JUST 10 HORNETS!!
FURTHERMORE,
RIP

IT IS THE MOST DANGEROUS FIELD LIVING CREATURE IN JAPAN !!
WH... WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY THAT ... ?
IN OTHER WORDS...
DE... DEATH CASUAL-TIES !?
THEY ARE MORE FEARED IN JAPAN THAN POISONOUS SNAKE OR BEARS,
THE GIANT HORNET CAUSES MORE DEATH CASUALTIES !
WHEN YOU TOLD ME ABOUT 'BIG BEES' I ASSUMED THAT THIS WAS ACTUALLY A HORNET, BUT...
I WOULD HAVE NEVER EXPECTED A GIANT HORNET...

IT'S THE WORST CASE, THIS TIME AROUND.
LET'S BE SURE THAT WE KEEP THE WINDOWS CLOSED, WHILE WE WAIT FOR THE SPECIALISTS....
HAA~~~~~ SO EVEN, INAHO CAN'T DO ANYTHING~~~~~
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DISAPPOINTED
ALSO BE AWARE THAT THEY HAVE THE TENDENCY TO ATTACK BLACK OBJECTS AND REACT AGAINST PERFUME.
IF THE OPPONENT WOULD BE AN ORDINARY HORNET,
I COULD HAVE EXTERMINATED THEM WITH THE HELP OF THIS SMOKE SCREEN AND ANTI-HORNET SPRAY THAT I BROUGHT ALONG, BUT...
I CANNOT POSSIBLY GO AGAINST THEM WITH THIS EQUIPMENT.
GUUMAN INAHO~~~~
UWAH~~~~
PEER
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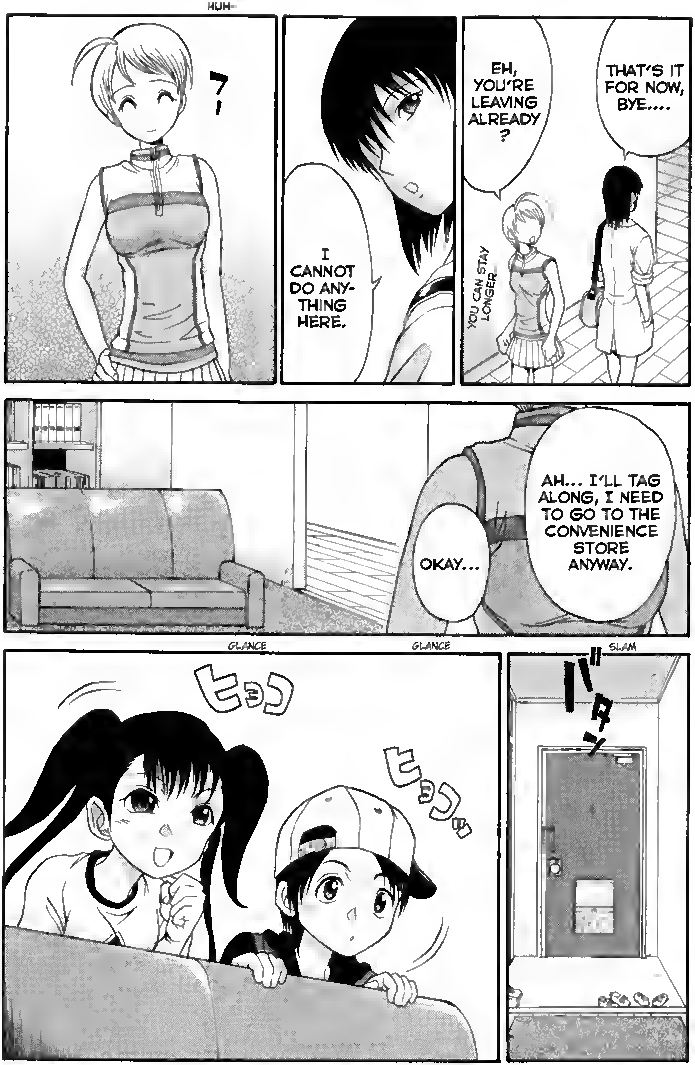
HUH-
?
I CANNOT DO ANY-THING HERE.
EH, YOU'RE LEAVING ALREADY ?
YOU CAN STAY LONGER.
THAT'S IT FOR NOW, BYE....
OKAY...
AH... I'LL TAG ALONG, I NEED TO GO TO THE CONVENIENCE STORE ANYWAY.
GLANCE
GLANCE
SLAM
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DID YOU HEAR ?
LET'S GO AND EXTERMINATE THOSE HORNETS !
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EEHwww !?
Y, YOU CAN'T BE SERIOUS
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE FOR US....
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HORNETS ARE QUITE SCARY, NEwwww
EVEN YOU, THE INSECT PROFESSOR COULD NOT TAKE THEM ON...
YES.
THIS IS NOT SOMETHING AN AMATEUR SHOULD MESS WITH.

SCARED
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THE LADY FROM NEXT DOOR IS ALSO TROUBLED BY THEM.
BUT
ARE YOU SCARED ? YOU ARE A BOY, RIGHT ?
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LITTLE-NEE-CHAN, DO YOU REALLY WANT TO DO THIS ?
THIS HORNET EXTERMI-NATION. .
THE REAL REASON ?
THIS IS
AND SHOW HER THAT WE'RE BETTER THAN THAT GIANT WOMAN.
SO WE'LL WIPE OUT THOSE HOR-NETS
.....EVEN THOUGH FATHER'S BACK, AZU-NEE STILL DOESN'T FIND THE TIME TO PLAY WITH US.
WHY ARE YOU ACTING LIKE WE DID SOME-THING WRONG !?
DO NOT HATE THIS BIG ONEE-CHAN...
.... BUT, I.....
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FIDGET
FIDGET

LISTEN. JUST THE TWO OF US WILL EXTERMINATE THEM.
AND WE'LL BECOME HEROES IN THE NEWSPAPERS AND ON TV !
CAMERAS
THINKING
HE.. HEROES...
WE NOW HAVE THE SAME EQUIPMENT AS SHE DID BEFORE !
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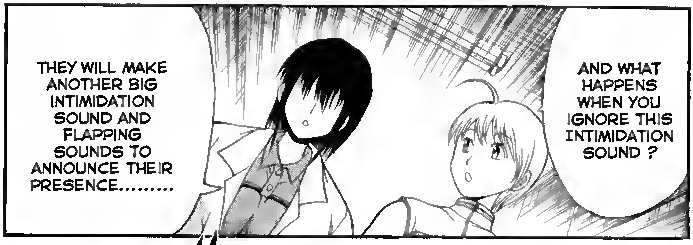
YE... YES !
YOU UNDERSTAND ? LET'S DO IT !!
GOT IT !

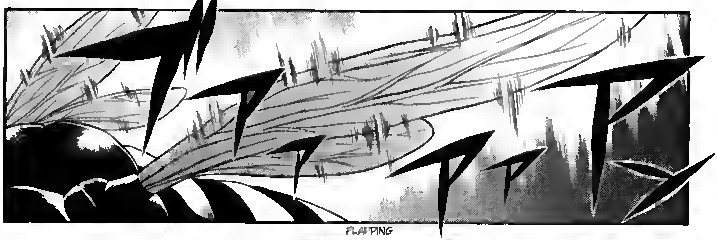
PERFECT !
LET'S GO !!!
SHE SAID THAT THEY'LL ATTACK BLACK OBJECTS..
SO I PUT A TOWEL OVER MY HEAD.
SLIDE
SAY... INAHO.
WHAT IS THIS EERIE "CLICKING" NOISE COMING FROM THOSE HORNETS ?
THAT ?
THAT WAS THE CHARACTERISTIC SOUND OF A HORNETS INTIMIDATION SOUND.
"INTIMIDATION SOUND" !?

THIS INTIMIDATION SOUND IS A WARNING, BEFORE THEY ATTACK WHEN THEY FEEL DANGER APPROACHING.
YES... !
CLICK
CLICK

WATCH OUT
WAHA

DO.. DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT !
ERM.. SAY, WHA.. WHAT IS THIS 'CLICKING' ...?


THEY WILL MAKE ANOTHER BIG INTIMIDATION SOUND AND FLAPPING SOUNDS TO ANNOUNCE THEIR PRESENCE.....
AND WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU IGNORE THIS INTIMIDATION SOUND ?



FLAPPING

ZZZZZZ
ZZZZZZ
ZZZZZZ

THEN FORM A DEFENSE LINE AND ATTACK IN GROUPS !!
GLANCE
STEP
!!!
SURROUNDED

BZZZ
BZZZ
TSUYOSHI ! THE SMOKE SCREEN !!
YE... YES.....
BZZZ
THIS IS BAD.. THEY'RE ATTACKING !!
ATTACK!
FUR-THER-MORE..
THE GIANT HORNET DOES NOT JUST ATTACK BY STINGING.
KYAH
KYAH

PITCH
ビュン
THEY SHOOT THEIR VENOM, WHICH ALSO CONTAINS ATTACK PHEROMONES, LIKE A WATER PISTOL TO MARK THEIR TARGET !!
SFX: DROP

AH !?
SFX LAND

THE REASON FOR THIS IS TO CONTINUE WITH A BITE
TO STIMULATE THEMSELVES WITH THE SMELL OF THE BLOOD OF THE ANIMALS AND
SFX: STING
SFX: BITE
THAT HURTS !!
SFX: JOLT
SFX: STING
THEN THEY WILL CONTINUE TO STING THE VICTIM OVER AND OVER AGAIN... !!
LITTLE-NEE-CHAN !?

KYAAAAH!!
!!!
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SPX CLICK
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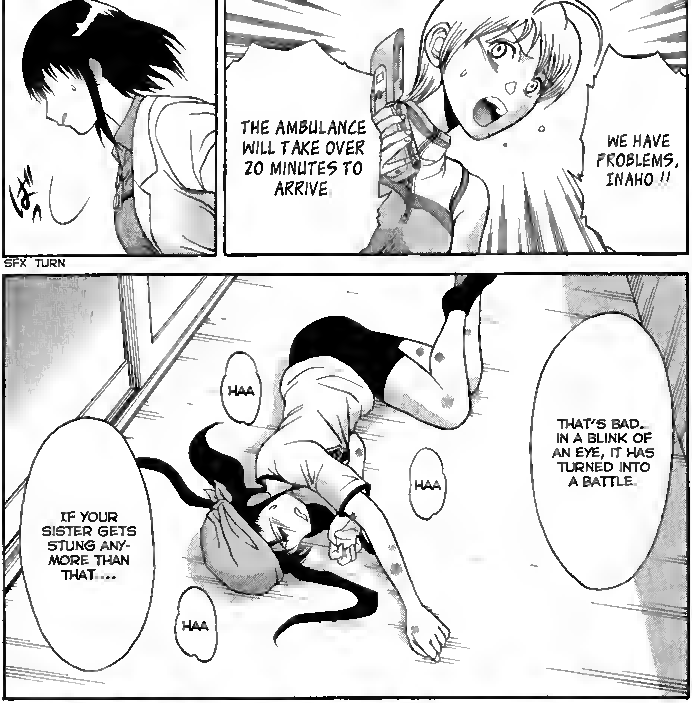
SFX CLICK
I....
IYAAAAH!!
HELP ME !!
!!
KARIN !?
SFX RUN

KARIN !?
TSUYOSHI !?
SFX: SLIDE
NO! YOU'LL BE ATTACKED AS WELL!
UH
ONEE...E
SFX: NOD
SFX: GRAB
AS LONG AS THEY HAVE NOT BEGUN WITH THEIR STINGING ATTACK, THEY WON'T ATTACK YOU !!
NO MATTER HOW SCARED YOU ARE, DO NOT MOVE !!
LISTEN, GIRL AND BOY !
AZUKI, YOU CONTACT THE FIRE STATION AND CALL FOR AN AMBULANCE ALONG WITH THE HORNET EXTERMINATORS !


WE HAVE PROBLEMS, INAHO !!
THE AMBULANCE WILL TAKE OVER 20 MINUTES TO ARRIVE
SFX TURN
THAT'S BAD.. IN A BLINK OF AN EYE, IT HAS TURNED INTO A BATTLE.
HAA
HAA
HAA
IF YOUR SISTER GETS STUNG ANY-MORE THAN THAT....
KARIN . !?
DEPENDING ON THE PLACE AND NUMBER....
EVEN HER LIFE MIGHT BE IN DANGER....!

SFX: SHOCK
WHAT ARE YOU DOING !?
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THEY ATTACK BLACK, RIGHT !?
I WILL PLAY THE DECOY AND YOU WILL USE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE MY SISTER !!
SFX: GRAB
SFX: STRIP
THIS WON'T SOLVE ANYTHING !!
DON'T BE IRRATIONAL!!
SFX: GRAB
PLEASE... INAHO...
SAVE MY YOUNGER SISTER..... AND TSUYOSHI... !!
THEN, WHAT SHOULD I DO !?

.. WHAT SHOULD I DO !?
IT WILL BE DIFFICULT ENOUGH TO GET THERE,
WITH MY EQUIPMENT.
I NEED SOMETHING AS COMPENSATION, AFTERWARDS.
THIS IS IT !!
AZUKI.
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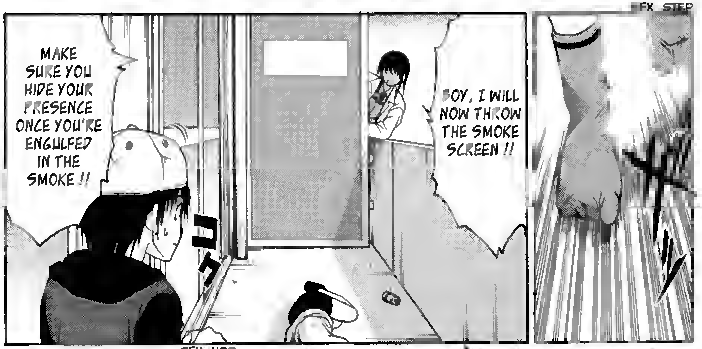

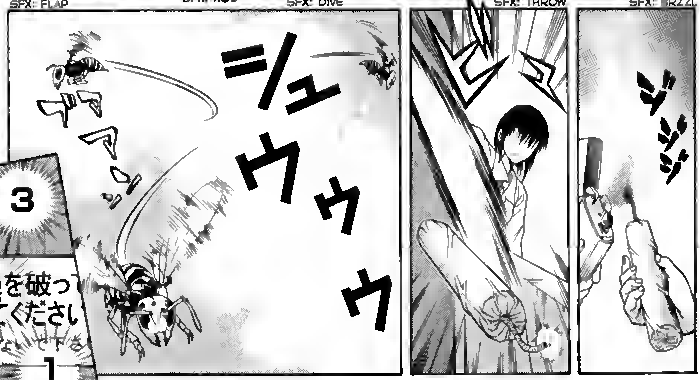

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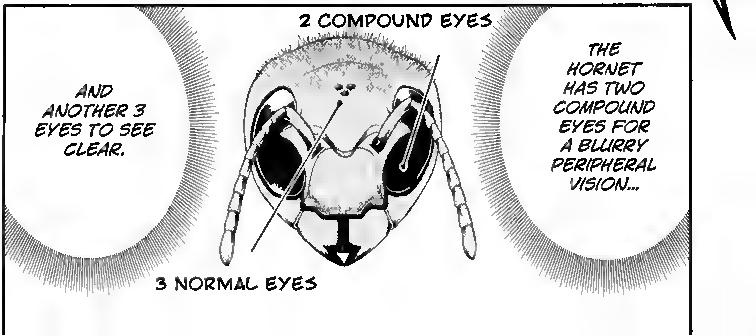
THE ANTI HORNET SMOKE SCREEN DISTURBED THEIR MOVEMENTS AND CONFUSED THEM, BUT...
SFX FLUTTER
THE SMOKE SCREEN WILL LIFT SOON
AND THEY WILL CHARGE AT ME...
SFX BAM


2 COMPOUND EYES
AND ANOTHER 3 EYES TO SEE CLEAR.
THE HORNET HAS TWO COMPOUND EYES FOR A BLURRY PERIPHERAL VISION...
3 NORMAL EYES

THEY SHOULD NOT BE ABLE TO REACT TO MOVEMENTS LIKE UP AND DOWN.
THEY CAN REACT TO MOVEMENTS FORWARD, BACKWARDS AND TO THE SIDES, BUT...
SFX: DIVE
!
MISS
THE HORNET CAN FLY FASTER THAN 20KM FOR BRIEF MOMENTS, BUT.....
DOWN
THEIR BIG BODIES WILL BE THEIR DEMISE—

THEY'RE UNABLE TO MAKE TIGHT TURNS !!!
SLAM
BAM
SFX DIVE

NO MATTER HOW TOUGH THEY MIGHT BE, EVEN THE RUMORED GIANT HORNET WON'T COME OUT UNHARMED
AGAINST A TENNIS RACKET
WHACK
THUD
DROP
WOW, THAT'S GREAT, INAHO !!

HERE IT COMES.
SFX: SPLASH
OKAY ! THE VENOM WITH THE ATTACK PHEROMONES IS ON MY CLOTHES !
NOW THEY'LL BE FOCUSING THEIR EYES TOWARDS THIS POINT AND ATTACK!!
INAHO!?

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ROLL
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SLIP OUT
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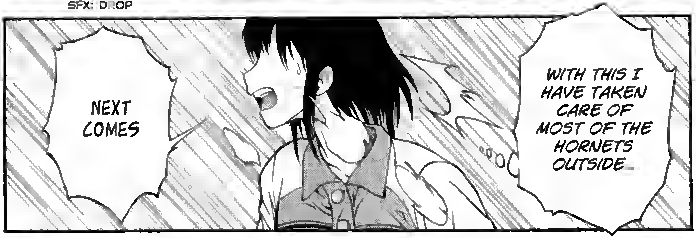
SFX: DROP


NEXT COMES
WITH THIS I HAVE TAKEN CARE OF MOST OF THE HORNETS OUTSIDE...

THE PATH TO THEIR HIVE !!!

SMACK
I'LL BE ABLE TO BUY SOME TIME FOR AN ESCAPE !!
RIP
IF I FORCE THE EXIT SHUT ...
CLICK
OKAY..!?
SFX: CLICK
UH OH !!!
A DETACHED FORCE..!!

WHAM
SPRAY
SFX: CLONK
SFX: FLOP
HYAH~~~~~ THAT'S REALLY SPECIAL PURPOSE FOR YOU... THE POWER IS VERY DIFFERENT.
AZUKI !!
LET'S TAKE THIS CHANCE TO BRING YOUR SIBLINGS TO SAFETY !!
OKAY !
SFX: SLAM

INAHO.. MY SISTER !!

HAA..
WUAEHHH
HAA
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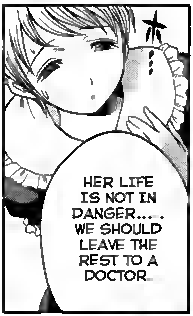
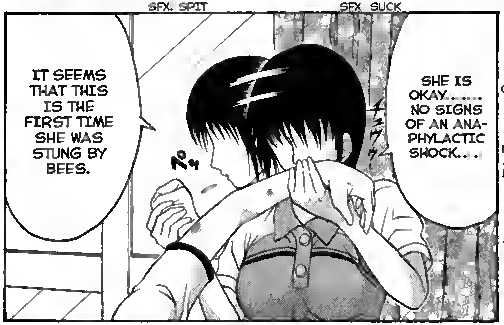

HER LIFE IS NOT IN DANGER.... WE SHOULD LEAVE THE REST TO A DOCTOR.


SFX. SPIT
SFX. SUCK
IT SEEMS THAT THIS IS THE FIRST TIME SHE WAS STUNG BY BEES.
SHE IS OKAY..... NO SIGNS OF AN ANA-PHYLACTIC SHOCK...
IF A BIO ORGANISM IS POI SONED, IT CAN CAUSE AN EXCESSIVE ALLERGIC REACTION IF NOT TREATED IMMEDI ATELY, IT CAN LEAD TO DEATH.

DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA... HOW WORRIED I WAS?!
IDIOT !!
SFX. DROP

SFX. TURN
THI.. THIS IS NOTHING
I WILL NOT LOSE NEXT TIME..

But I'm glad, really glad
I'M SORRY~~~~~~
ONEE.....
SFX: DWAEEH
DON'T DO THIS EVER AGAIN .....
YOU WERE SAVED THIS TIME, BUT IF YOU WERE STUNG TOO OFTEN AT THE SAME TIME, YOU COULD HAVE DIED FROM SHOCK....

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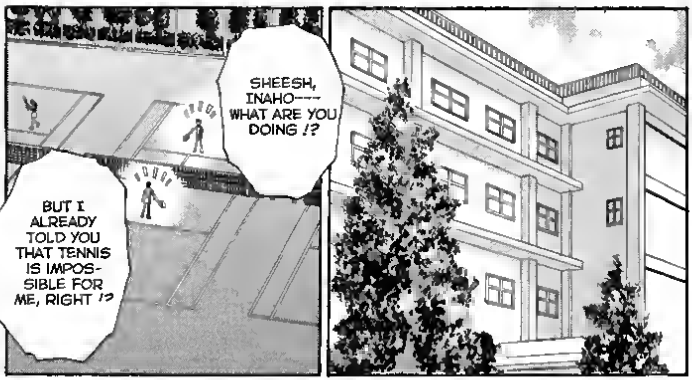
FORGIVE ME.....
PLEASE
I SEE...
THIS IS WHY YOU DIDN'T LIKE TO EXTERMINATE THEM.....
SINCE OLD TIMES, IT WAS SAID THAT THE GIANT HORNETS PROTECTED THE WOODS FROM PEOPLE AND WERE KNOW AS "THE PROTECTING GODS OF THE WOODS"
WHAT ARE YOU DOING ?

HUMANS MIGHT HAVE....
TAKEN THE GODS' LIVING PLACE AWAY FROM THEM .....
INAHO... I AM SORRY...

(AND) THANK YOU.....


SHEESH, INAHO--- WHAT ARE YOU DOING !?
BUT I ALREADY TOLD YOU THAT TENNIS IS IMPOS-SIBLE FOR ME, RIGHT !?

WHAT ARE YOU BABBLING !?
YOU HIT THOSE SMALL HORNETS AND BROUGHT THEM DOWN !!
THAT'S BECAUSE I KNEW THEIR CHARACTERISTICS AND COULD PREDICT THEIR POSITION....
A...ANYWAY, THIS IS REALLY IMPOSSIBLE !!
I AM CERTAIN THAT YOU HAVE THE SENSE FOR IT, INAHO !
I WILL GIVE YOU SOME SPECIAL TRAINING !!
PLEASE, GIVE ME A BREAK !!

[Vector Case File] Character Designs

Rough Sketch of Guest Characters.

←Act.1 Azusa

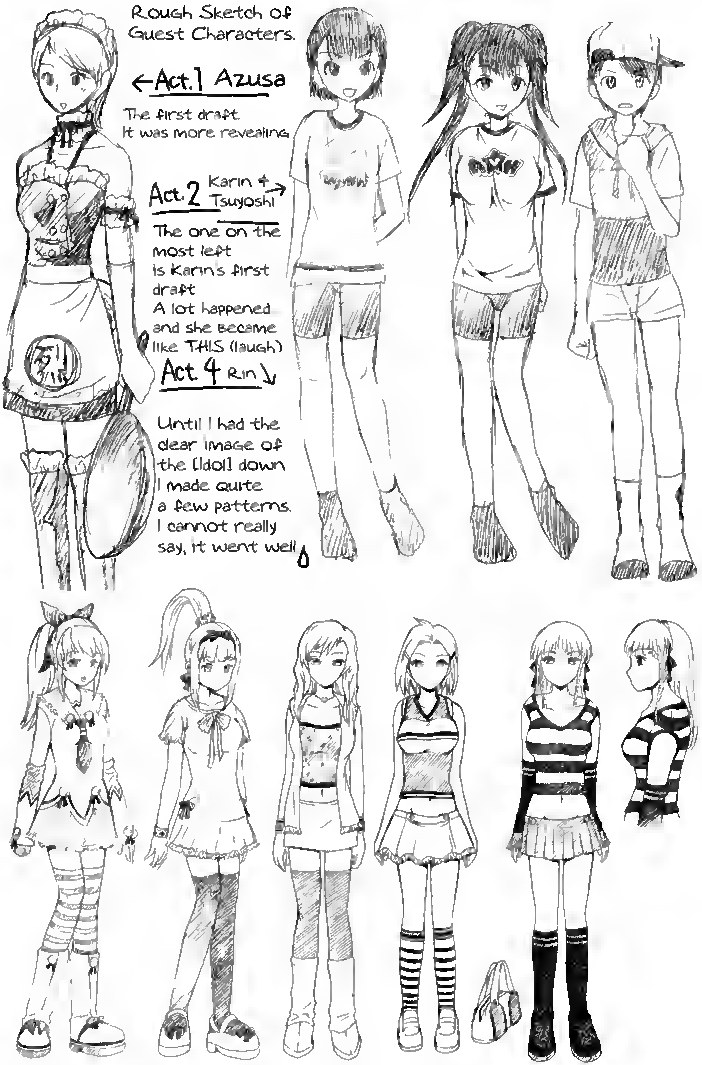
The first draft. It was more revealing.

Act.2 Karin & Tsuyoshi →

The one on the most left is Karin's first draft. A lot happened and she became like THIS (laugh)

Act.4 Rin ↓

Until I had the clear image of the [Idol] down I made quite a few patterns. I cannot really say, it went well.



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Act.3/ White House

NOW—— WE BEGIN THIS WEEK
WITH OUR "YOUR BEST HOUSE" CORNER, WHERE WE VISIT THE HOUSEHOLDS OF FAMOUS CELEBRITIES!!
THIS TIME WE'LL GO VISIT THE MAN WHO HAS BEEN ACKNOWLEDGED WORLDWIDE FOR HIS FREE USE OF HIGH-TECH AND COMFORTABLE DESIGNS FOR HOUSEHOLDS
THE MODERN ARCHITECT AND YOUNG GENIUS DESIGNER, ABE KIYOTAKA-SAN!
HI
OKAY!
NOW A 10 MINUTE BREAK!
SFX: WALKING

SFX: BICYCLE
キコ
キコ
SFX: RAISE
I GOT MY HANDS ON A NICE-SIZED SAWTOOTH STAG BEETLE!!
YEP! TODAY,
ばん
INAHO-OBTAINED A SAWTOOTH!
FIX-
-ATED
SAY-
ISN'T THAT STRANGE?
♪
ENOKI INAHO
(KAOU ALL GIRL HIGH - 2ND YEAR)

SLIPPING PAST
WHERE, WHERE?
AH!
AH
WHAT IS IT?
SEE
YOU ARE RIGHT
.....
THERE'S DEFINITELY SOMETHING IN THERE!
SFX. HM'a
I... I'M NOT A BUG KING...
FIRST OF ALL, I'M A WOMAN
HEY!
EH?
BUG KING!
BUG KING!
I KNOW HER
AH--!!
THE BUG KING!
SOMETHING'S IN THERE ..?
NOISE ..!?
YES, THERE'S SOME NOISE COMING FROM THAT STONE WALL
HM...
SFX. TOUCH

WHAT IS IT, KING?
AND?
THIS... IT CAN'T BE...
N...NO- NOTHING IN PARTICU- LAR...
KO RI KO RI
!
.....
I CAN'T DO ANYTHING BEFORE IT GETS DARK...HUH
HUH— REALLY?
SO IT WAS REALLY JUST OUR IMAGINATION
BUT I SHOULD AT LEAST WARN THE INHABITANTS OF THAT HOUSE

SFX. SPEAKING NON-STOP
ペラペラペラ
I LIVED FOR SOME TIME IN PARIS DURING THAT TIME I CAME INTO FREQUENT CONTACT WITH LE CORBUSIER'S "WHITE SPOCH" AND ONE OF HIS WORKS, THE VILLA SAVOYE
HA HA
I THINK THAT THIS PRIZE GIVEN BY GENUINE JUDGES IS PROOF THAT I WAS ACCEPTED AS A NOUVELLE ARCHITECT
OUI
THE FRENCH ARCHITECTURE INFLUENCES ME GREATLY
ABE-SAN, YOU WERE HONORED WITH THE PRIZE FOR ARCHITECTURE AT THE VENEZIA BIENNALE
TN NOTE HE LIKES TO MIX FRENCH WORDS INTO HIS PHRASES
TN NOTE LE CORBUSIER, WAS A SWISS-FRENCH ARCHITECT, DESIGNER, PAINTER AND WRITER AND LIVED FROM 1887 TO 1965 A GREAT EXAMPLE OF HIS WORK IS THE VILLA SAVOYE
SORRY. I'M COMING IN
IN THE GARDEN?
SFX: SCREECH
SFX: BING BONG, BING BONG
ポーン!!
BECAUSE ARCHITECTS SHOULD BE KNOWN MORE IN SOCIETY
..I DON'T MIND
EVEN IF IT'S TROUBLESOME, GIVING INFORMATION IS NECESSARY
SFX. BOW
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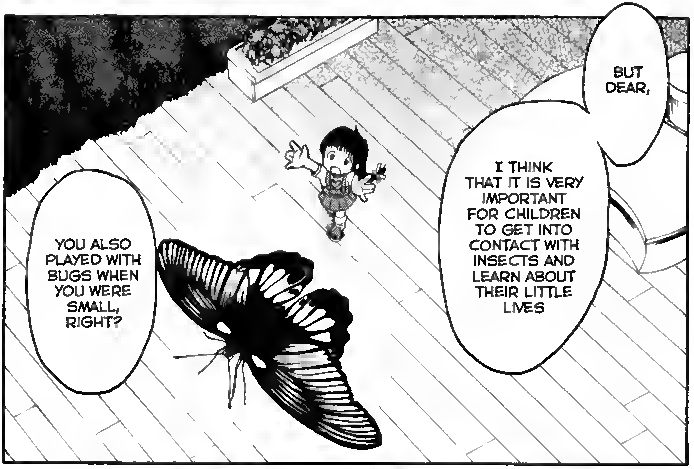
THANKS FOR YOUR PRECIOUS TIME
OKAY ~~~!!

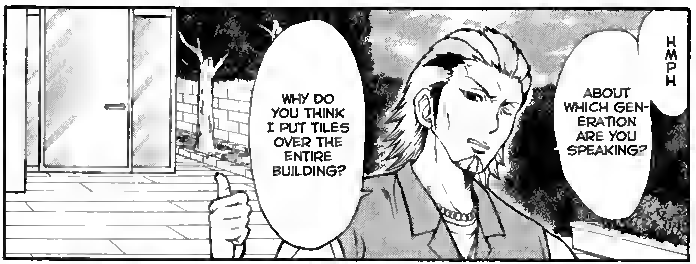
SFX: SUDDENLY IN VIEW
UMM. WHERE'S THE OWNER OF THIS HOUSE..
WAH?!
YEAH..
HEY, WE'VE GOT TO GO TO ANOTHER LOCATION, HURRY
!
SFX: WHAM
WAH!
SFX: THUD
YOU ARE IN THE WAY!
!?
YOU THERE! WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU ARE DOING!!?
HEY!!

TAKE A LOOK—
AT THE SCRATCH ON THE WALL OF THE GATE!!
THIS GATE SENSITIVELY COMBINES PROGRESSIVE SURREALISM AND MODERNISM
SFX: VERY SMALL
IT'S A MASTER-PIECE, YOU ORDINARY PEOPLE!!
SFX: THUNDER
PRO GRE
SURRE...
I HAVE NO CLUE...
TH-THIS... IS A SCRATCH?
SFX: TOUCH
DON'T JUST GO AND TOUCH IT!!
KYAH!
THE HOUSES I DESIGN ARE FORMS OF ART!
WOULD YOU TOUCH A PAINTING OF RENOIR WITH YOUR BARE HANDS?
SFX: SOB
SFX: UH...

SFX. TURN AROUND
WHAT DO YOU INTEND TO DO ABOUT THIS, DIRECTOR!?
U... UWAH--- I'M BAD WITH THIS TYPE
I SHOULD JUST GO HOME..
I... I REPORTED IT TO MY SUPERIORS.
PLEASE ACCEPT MY FORMAL APOLOGY
ENOUGH OF THAT... I'M NOT THAT CRUEL
I WON'T ASK ANYTHING TOO DIFFICULT FROM YOU,
IT'S ENOUGH WHEN YOU RETURN IT TO ITS ORIGINAL STATE
THAT IS
SFX. BLACK SILENCE
SFX. WHITE RANTING
FROM THE BEGINNING YOU GUYS FROM THE MEDIA ARE AGAINST CULTURAL MERITS.
EH EH
PAPA!!

SFX: BAM!
AYAKA!
SFX: RUN
I AM HO~~ME
SFX: RISE
PAPA, I CAUGHT A BUTTERFLY~~
THERE'S SUCH A LITTLE GIRL HERE?
YOU SHOULD NOT TOUCH SUCH A DIRTY THING!
EH~~
SFX: FLY
SFX: SLAP
THAT AYAKA COULD TOUCH AN INSECT WHILE YOU WERE WITH HER
I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT...


BUT DEAR,
I THINK THAT IT IS VERY IMPORTANT FOR CHILDREN TO GET INTO CONTACT WITH INSECTS AND LEARN ABOUT THEIR LITTLE LIVES
YOU ALSO PLAYED WITH BUGS WHEN YOU WERE SMALL, RIGHT?


HMPH
ABOUT WHICH GENERATION ARE YOU SPEAKING?
WHY DO YOU THINK I PUT TILES OVER THE ENTIRE BUILDING?

TO GUARANTEE THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF A HEALTHY AND COMFORTABLE LIFESTYLE!
FURTHERMORE, I POLISHED THIS HOUSE UP TO THE POINT WHERE IT BECAME A PIECE OF ART!
I ALSO THINK THAT IT IS BETTER FOR CHILDREN TO KNOW ABOUT INSECTS
WHO ARE YOU...?

THIS HOUSE IS INFESTED WITH INSECTS!
SOMETHING BAD WILL HAPPEN, IF YOU DON'T ACT IMMEDIATELY!!
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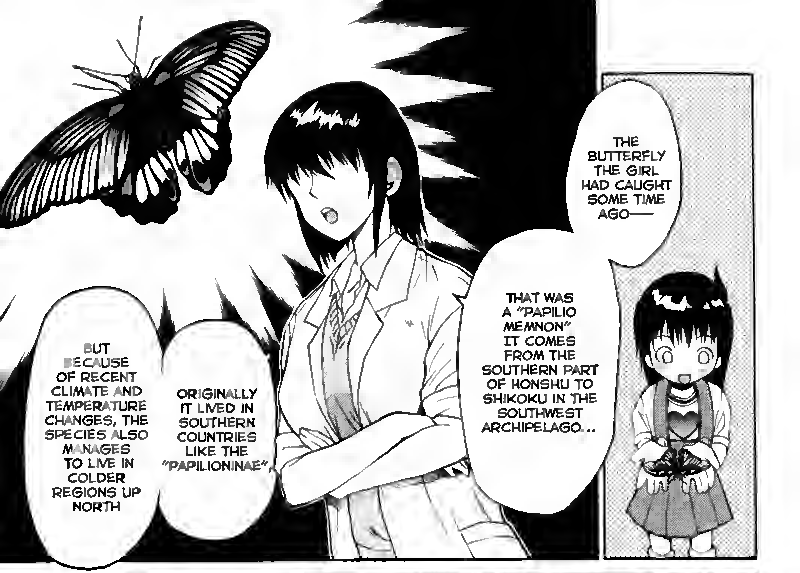
HEY! SOME DEGENERATE WEIRDO MIXED IN WITH YOU GUYS
N-NIKONG!
SPLASHHH
HA....
I REALLY DON'T GET IT...!

COOL WANNABE POSE
IT SEEMS YOU ARE UNAWARE OF WHO I AM
I PROVIDE BEAUTIFUL FUNCTIONALITY AND ARTISTIC MERIT, SIMULTANEOUSLY. AN UPCOMING MODERN ARCHITECT AND DESIGNER!
THE ONE WHO RECEIVED A PRIZE FOR HIS WORK AT THE "VENEZIA BIENNALE", ABE KIYOTAKA, YOU KNOW?
AND YOU TELL ME THAT THIS PROGRESSIVE, NOUVELLE HOME, MADE BY ME...
IS INFESTED WITH INSECTS?
STOP WITH THOSE FOOLISH JOKES, AMATEUR!
BU— BUT!
YOU ARE RIGHT... I MIGHT NOT KNOW MUCH ABOUT HOUSES,
BUT I KNOW ABOUT INSECTS!


THE BUTTERFLY THE GIRL HAD CAUGHT SOME TIME AGO——
THAT WAS A "PAPILIO MEMNON" IT COMES FROM THE SOUTHERN PART OF HONSHU TO SHIKOKU IN THE SOUTHWEST ARCHIPELAGO...
ORIGINALLY IT LIVED IN SOUTHERN COUNTRIES LIKE THE "PAPILIONINAE",
BUT BECAUSE OF RECENT CLIMATE AND TEMPERATURE CHANGES, THE SPECIES ALSO MANAGES TO LIVE IN COLDER REGIONS UP NORTH

SFX: ENDLESS TALKING
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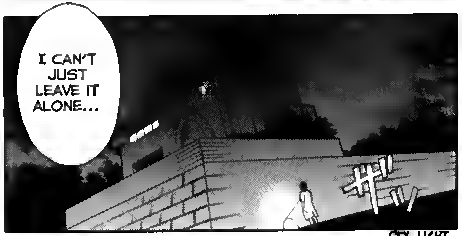
THEIR CHARACTERISTIC IS THAT THEY DON'T HAVE A PROTRUDING TAIL BEHIND THE BACK WINGS AND IT'S EASY TO DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN MALES AND FEMALES...
? ? ?
.....

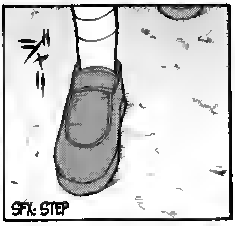
Y.. YOU, COULD IT BE..
THAT YOU ARE THE LADY FROM THE FLORA AND FAUNA AND INSECT MUSEUM...?
YOU KNOW HER?

SHE IS SLIGHTLY FAMOUS IN TOWN AND RUMORED TO HAVE GREAT KNOWLEDGE ABOUT INSECTS!
IS...
SHE HAS SOLVED COUNTLESS CASES UP UNTIL NOW...
IS THAT SO...?
WELL THEN, WHAT PROOF DO YOU HAVE THAT WE HAVE INSECTS IN THIS HOUSE?
SO YOU ARE A BUG MASTER
BUT WHEN YOU WAIT UNTIL NIGHT-TIME...!
I CAN'T SHOW YOU, YET...
THE PR. PROOF... IS...

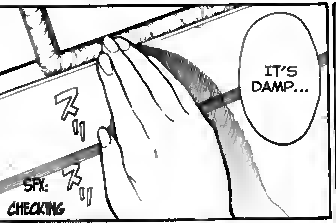
STOP WITH THIS ALREADY!!
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOUR GOAL IS, BUT JUST GO HOME ALREADY!!
DON'T SPEAK ILL OF MY ARTISTIC CREATION WITHOUT A PROFOUND BASIS...
IT'S ALSO FOR THE CHILD! JUST LISTEN TO ME...
I UNDER-STAND... I WILL TAKE MY LEAVE
.....
GENIUS ARTISTS ARE DELICATE!!
GO HOME, EVERY ONE OF YOU!!!
SFX: IMPACT
SHEESH. WHAT A DAY
SFX: SHUFFLING AWAY
GETTING MY ART SCRATCHED AND BEING BAD MOUTHED BY A CREEPY WOMAN..

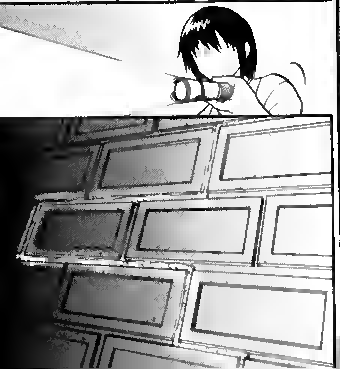
I CAN'T BE SPENDING TIME ON EVERY SINGLE ONE OF THEM
YOU GET VISITED BY SUCH PEOPLE NON-STOP WHEN YOU GET FAMOUS...
CAN'T YOU AT LEAST LISTEN TO OTHERS?
DEAR .
YOU ARE A WORLDWIDE RENOWNED ARCHITECT, HOWEVER...
I SEE...
YOU, WHO DESIGN THESE OLD-FASHIONED JAPANESE HOUSES, WOULDN'T UNDERSTAND MY SENSE OF AESTHETICS
ARCHITEC-TURE IS NOT ALL ABOUT SELLING
IF YOU WISH TO GIVE ME YOUR OPINION, YOU SHOULD FIRST BECOME ACKNOWL-EDGED WORLDWIDE, AS WELL ..


I CAN'T JUST LEAVE IT ALONE...

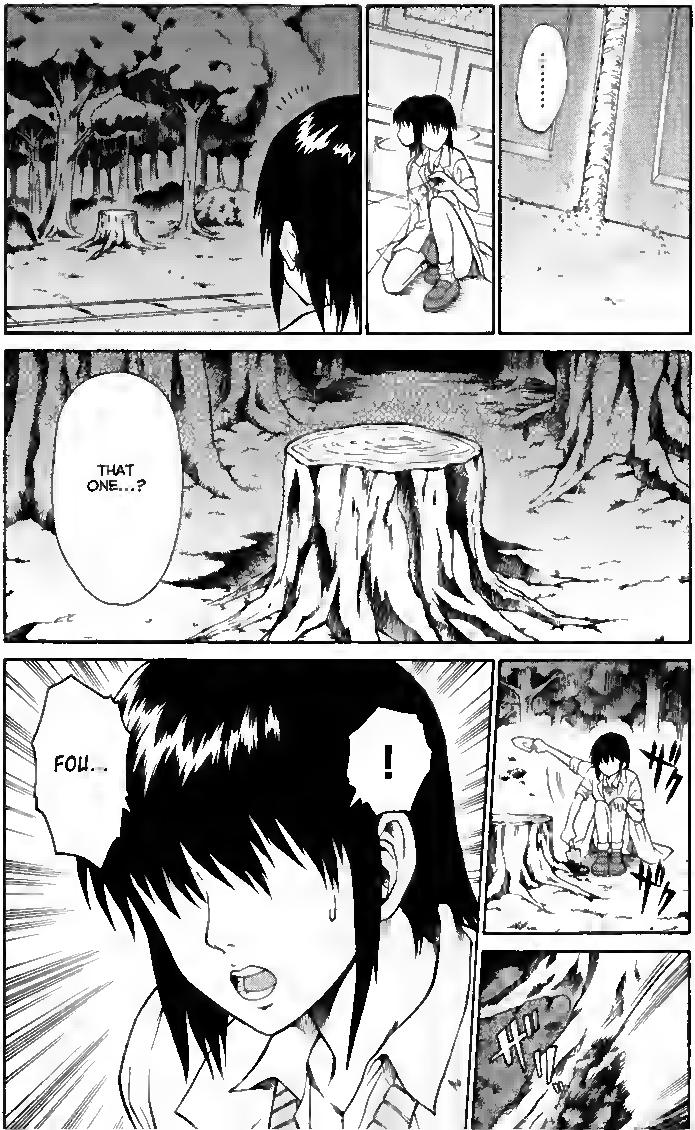

SFX: STEP

SFX: LIGHT


IT'S DAMP...
SFX: CHECKING



SFX: TOUCH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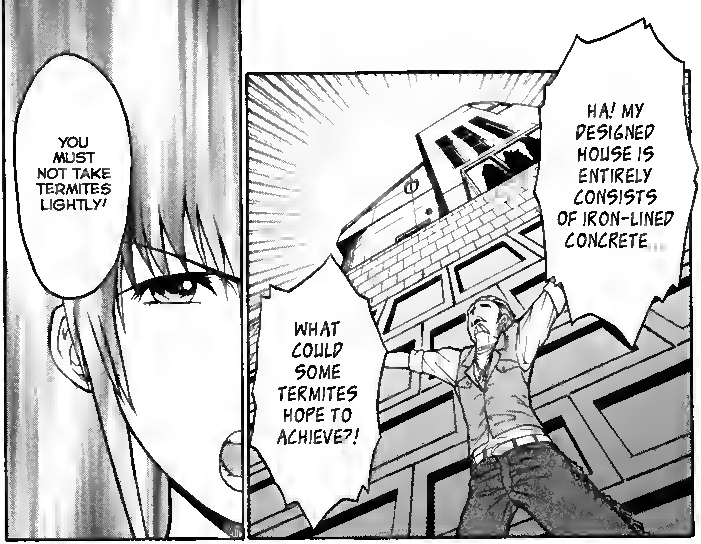
THAT ONE...?
FOU..
!
SFX. SHOVEL X3

A DORCUS HOPEI BINODULOSUS
OH?
SFX: WHAM, X2
SFX: CRACK
FOUND IT!
SFX: BAM
WHO'S THERE?!
SFX: AH...
WHAT... YOU AGAIN?! TCH
YOU DEGENER-ATE WEIRDO! I'LL CALL THE POLICE
MISTER ...
SHOVE
I FOUND EVIDENCE
THI...
THIS IS ..

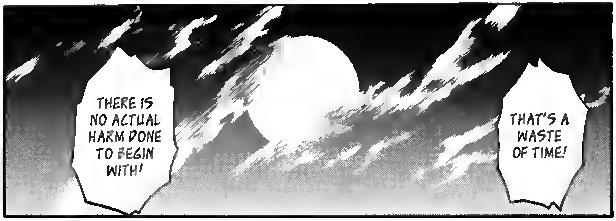
YES...
THIS IS THE NEST OF THE INSECTS IN YOUR HOUSE!!
UH...
HU...HUH! WHAT A STUPID THING TO SAY
AREN'T THOSE JUST SOME TERMITES?!!

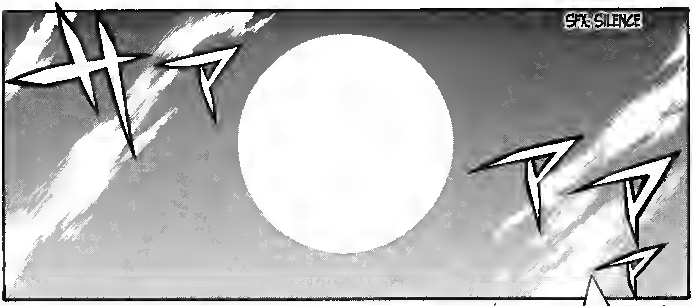

HA! MY DESIGNED HOUSE IS ENTIRELY CONSISTS OF IRON-LINED CONCRETE...
WHAT COULD SOME TERMITES HOPE TO ACHIEVE?!
YOU MUST NOT TAKE TERMITES LIGHTLY!

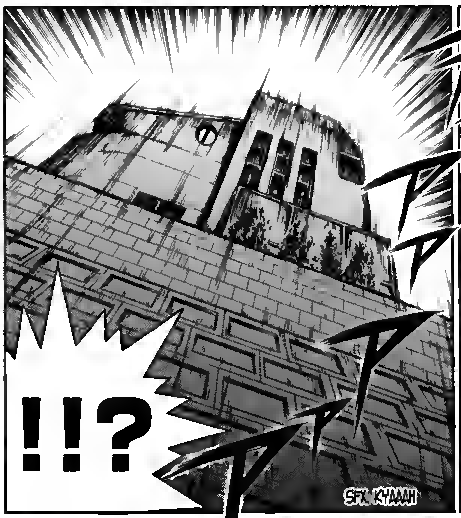
EVEN US HUMANS WHO BUILD GREAT BUILDING SUBSTANCES, SUCH AS CONCRETE
IS ORIGINALLY JUST SOME "LIMESTONE, MADE WITH HYDRATED CALCIUM."
FOR THEM IT'S JUST SOME SIMPLE MATERIAL FOR THEIR NEST!!

I'VE NEVER HEARD OF THAT!!
T... TERMITES DESTROY CONCRETE?
SFX. SHAKE
THEY CAN EASILY DESTROY IT AND MOVE FORWARD ...!
IM...
IMPOS-SIBLE!
WHAT IS THAT...?
A PATH MADE BY THE TER-MITES ..
TUNNELS MADE TO MOVE FROM ONE NEST TO THE OTHER
LOOK
A "TUNNEL"... FOR THE TERMITES?!
SFX. FALL
SFX. RIP...

I TOLD YOU TO WAIT FOR THE PROOF BECAUSE OF THIS...
THEY BECOME ACTIVE AT NIGHT, THEN GRADUALLY AND INDISCRIMINATELY BEGIN TO USE EVERYTHING THEY COME IN CONTACT WITH TO MAKE NEW TUNNELS...
WHAT DO YOU WANT TO SAY WITH THAT?
THE PLACE WHERE THEY STOP IN THE MIDDLE OF THEIR PATH IN THE STONE WALL
TAKE A LOOK OVER HERE
HOW STUPID !
PUT YOUR EAR UP AGAINST THE STONE WALL!!
IT'S PROOF THAT THEY HAVE ALREADY INVADED THE HOUSE!
AN OPEN TUNNEL MADE THROUGH THE CONCRETE ..


THERE IS NO ACTUAL HARM DONE TO BEGIN WITH!
THAT'S A WASTE OF TIME!


SFX: SILENCE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SFX: KYAAAH

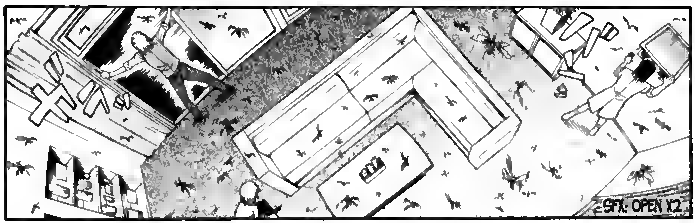
AS IF TERMITES COULD DESTROY MY PERFECT PIECE OF ART!

THAT VOICE... AYAKA?!!
A FULL MOON.. IT CAN'T BE ..!
SFX. SLAM
WHAT'S WRONG ?!!

What are those insects?!!
UH...!! UWAAAA AAAH!!

AH...
D... DEAR...
PAPA!!
UH!
AH...
THIS IS BAD !!
BECAUSE, THE OUTER GARDEN IS A COMPLETELY SOLID, HARD SURFACE,
THE WINGED ANTS, WHICH NATURALLY COME OUT OUTSIDE OF HOUSES, LEFT THEIR COCOON INSIDE THE ROOM !!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING ? HURRY UP AND OPEN THE WINDOWS!
SFX: SLIDE X2

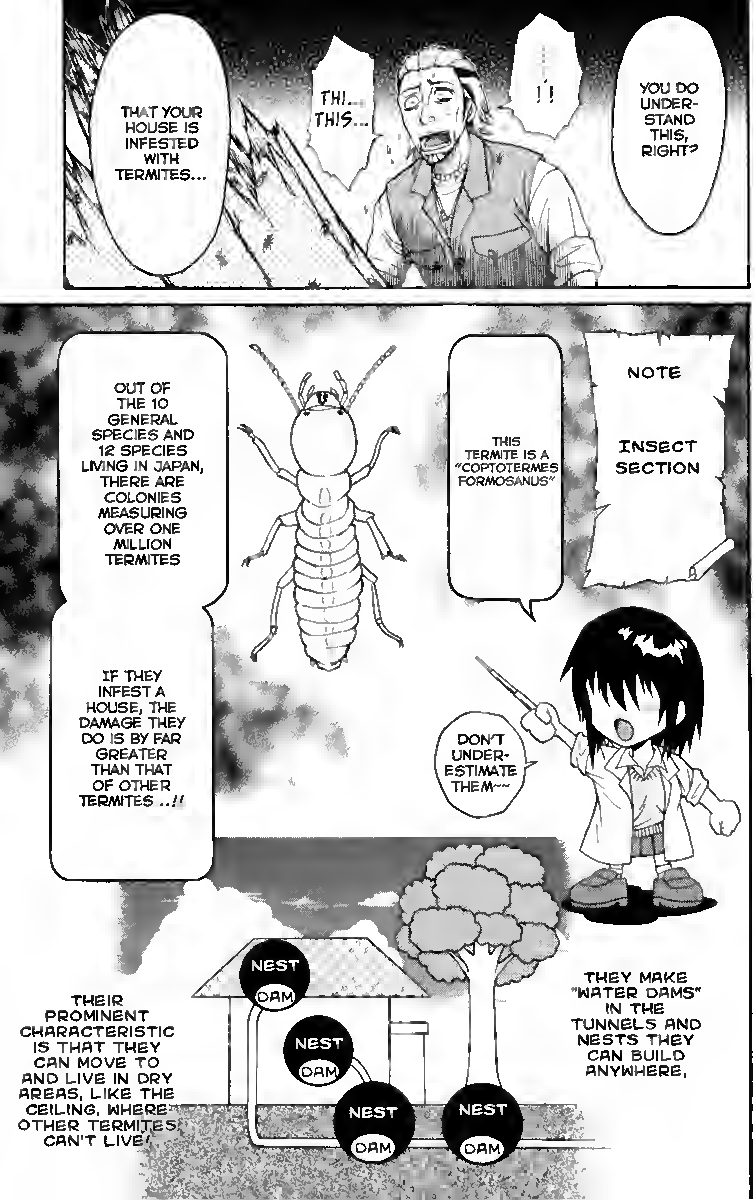

SFX: OPEN X2

SFX: CLACK
TURN OFF THE ELECTRICITY IN THE HOUSE!
SFX: CLICK
SFX: ZAP
SFX: UNPLUG
THE WINGED ANTS WILL HEAD FOR THE FULL MOON, IF WE DO THIS!!
SFX: SURRR

SFX: SHOCK
SFX: EH, EH
SFX: SURRRR

WHAT IN THE WORLD...
TERMITES LEAVE THEIR NEST AND BECOME INDEPEN-DENT ..
THESE... ARE TER-MITES?
THOSE "WINGED ANTS" ARE SHAPED DIFFERENTLY FROM THE ONES YOU SEE USUALLY
EVERY ONE OF THEM WILL BECOME A KING OR QUEEN IN THE FUTURE...
IN A HUMID, FULL MOON NIGHT IN JUNE...
A BIG NUMBER OF TERMITES, WHO LIVED IN THE NEST, WILL SIMULTANEOUSLY LEAVE IT, FLYING TOWARDS THE BRIGHT MOON, A GRAND MARRIAGE CEREMONY
FUTURE TERMITE QUEENS ..?!
ALL OF THEM ..?!

SFX: STU
WHERE THEY MIGHT HAVE CONCEALED THEMSELVES...
I HAVE A HUNCH...
SFX: RIP
SFX: BURST


YOU DO UNDER-STAND THIS, RIGHT?
!!
THI... THIS...
THAT YOUR HOUSE IS INFESTED WITH TERMITES...
NOTE
INSECT SECTION
THIS TERMITE IS A "COPTOTERMES FORMOSANUS"
OUT OF THE 10 GENERAL SPECIES AND 12 SPECIES LIVING IN JAPAN, THERE ARE COLONIES MEASURING OVER ONE MILLION TERMITES
IF THEY INFEST A HOUSE, THE DAMAGE THEY DO IS BY FAR GREATER THAN THAT OF OTHER TERMITES ..!!
DON'T UNDER-ESTIMATE THEM~~
NEST
DAM
NEST
DAM
NEST
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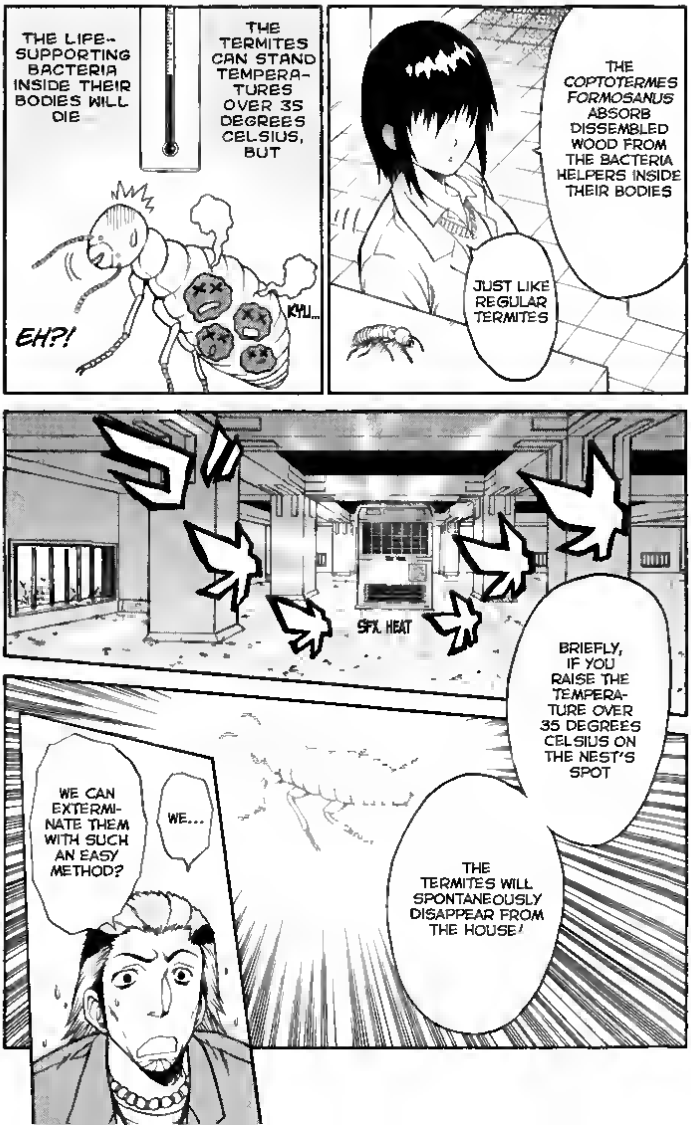
NEST
DAM
THEIR PROMINENT CHARACTERISTIC IS THAT THEY CAN MOVE TO AND LIVE IN DRY AREAS, LIKE THE CEILING, WHERE OTHER TERMITES CAN'T LIVE!
THEY MAKE "WATER DAMS" IN THE TUNNELS AND NESTS THEY CAN BUILD ANYWHERE.

THESE TERMITES ARE MORE CLOSELY RELATED TO COCK-ROACHES THAN ANTS
SO THEY DON'T HAVE ANY "ACID"
BUT THEY CAN USE "ACID WATER" MADE THROUGH THE OXIDATION OF EXCREMENTS IN THEIR TUNNELS, PLUS WATER OF THE WATER TANKS——
TO CORRODE THE CONCRETE AND THEN CRUSH IT WITH THEIR TENACIOUS JAWS!!
SFX. CRACK, CRACK
ACID WATER!?
ISN'T THAT USED TO BREAK DOWN CONCRETE?!!
THERE IS ONLY THAT MANY OVER THERE.

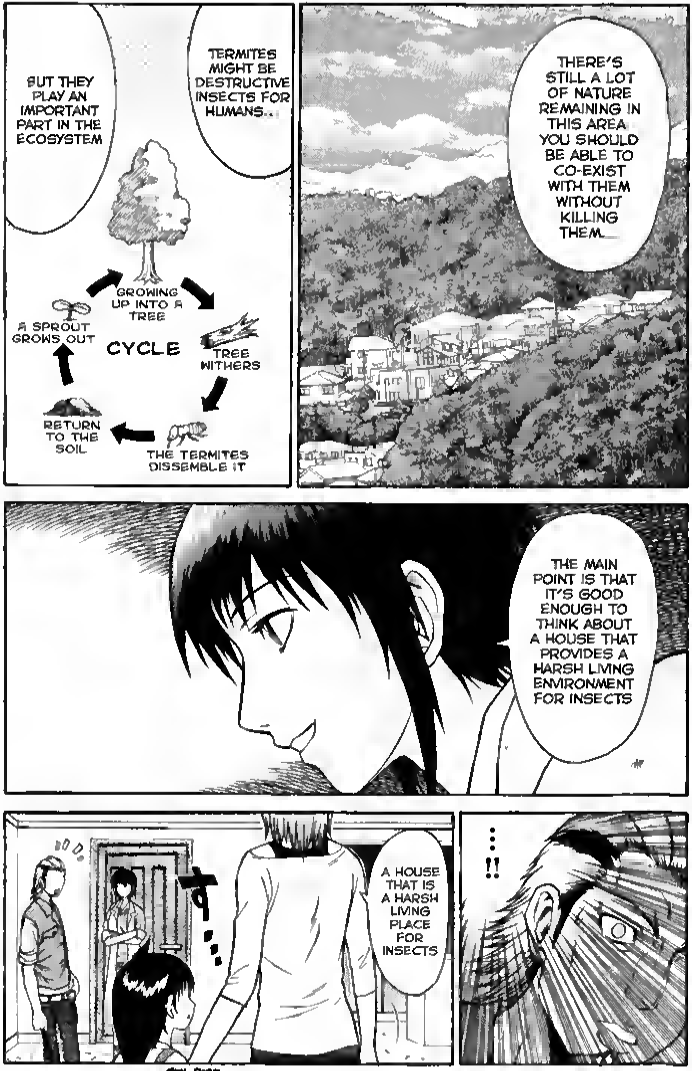
LIKE SLIDING PAPER DOORS OR THE FLOOR MATS IN JAPANESE ROOMS TO ADVANCE
AND THEY CAN USE EVERYTHING MADE OUT OF WOOD INSIDE THE HOUSE...
IF YOU DON'T DEAL WITH IT IMMEDIATELY, SEED-BEDS FOR GERMS AND MOLD WILL APPEAR,
AND HAVE A BAD INFLUENCE ON YOUR HEALTH. YOU SHOULD ALSO THINK ABOUT YOUR CHILD.
HA... HAHAHA... MY CAREER...
I AM FINISHED...
SFX: SLAM

ALL THE COUNTER-MEASURES AND THE MOST RECENT AIR CONDITIONING OF MY CHIC HOUSE...
WE'RE BEATEN BY TERMITES AND MOLD...
DON'T GIVE UP! IT DOESN'T MEAN THAT YOU CAN'T LIVE HERE ANYMORE
DON'T CONSOLE ME!
YOU WILL USE STRONG INSECTICIDE TO EXTERMI-NATE THE TERMITES IN THE HOUSE, RIGHT?!
EVEN IF MY WIFE AND I CAN ENDURE IT, FOR MY SMALL DAUGHTER... WHAT KIND OF EFFECTS MIGHT ARISE...?
I WON'T USE ANY INSECTICIDE
SFX: HU...
!?
IF YOU KNOW ABOUT THE LIFE OF TERMITES
THERE'S A SAFE METHOD, THOUGH IT MIGHT TAKE SOME TIME!


THE LIFE-SUPPORTING BACTERIA INSIDE THEIR BODIES WILL DIE
THE TERMITES CAN STAND TEMPERATURES OVER 35 DEGREES CELSIUS, BUT
EH?!
KYU...
THE COPTOTERMES FORMOSANUS ABSORB DISSEMBLED WOOD FROM THE BACTERIA HELPERS INSIDE THEIR BODIES
JUST LIKE REGULAR TERMITES
SFX: HEAT
BRIEFLY, IF YOU RAISE THE TEMPERATURE OVER 35 DEGREES CELSIUS ON THE NEST'S SPOT
THE TERMITES WILL SPONTANEOUSLY DISAPPEAR FROM THE HOUSE!
WE...
WE CAN EXTERMINATE THEM WITH SUCH AN EASY METHOD?

THIS IS NOT AN EXTERMINATION
WE'LL JUST MAKE IT DIFFICULT FOR THEM TO LIVE HERE ANY LONGER AND "HAVE THEM LEAVE"
MORE THAN 10 YEARS..
TERMITE QUEENS HAVE A LIFE SPAN OF MORE THAN 10 YEARS...
WHEN YOU USE POISON AND EVEN MANAGE TO EXTERMINATE THEM TEMPORARILY, THEY WILL COME BACK EVENTUALLY

SFX. SWALLOW


TERMITES MIGHT BE DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS FOR HUMANS...
BUT THEY PLAY AN IMPORTANT PART IN THE ECOSYSTEM
GROWING UP INTO A TREE
TREE WITHERS
THE TERMITES DISSEMBLE IT
RETURN TO THE SOIL
A SPROUT GROWS OUT
CYCLE
THERE'S STILL A LOT OF NATURE REMAINING IN THIS AREA. YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO CO-EXIST WITH THEM WITHOUT KILLING THEM...
THE MAIN POINT IS THAT IT'S GOOD ENOUGH TO THINK ABOUT A HOUSE THAT PROVIDES A HARSH LIVING ENVIRONMENT FOR INSECTS
A HOUSE THAT IS A HARSH LIVING PLACE FOR INSECTS
...
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SFX. RISE...

THERE IS A HISTORY OF STRUGGLE BETWEEN HARMFUL INSECTS AND JAPANESE HOUSE BUILDERS ESTABLISHING HOUSES IN THE MOUNTAINS
IN JAPAN THEY CUT THROUGH MOUNTAINS AND BUILD ON THE EMERGING BUILDING LOT, TO START
THAT'S THE IDEA BEHIND THE JAPANESE HOUSE BUILDING I DO!

IN ORDER TO AVOID DAMP AREAS, WHICH ARE FAVOURED BY HARMFUL INSECTS, AND TO KEEP THEM AWAY ..!
THE JAPANESE HOUSE BUILDERS HAVE LONG BUILT THE HOUSES ELEVATED, MAKING THE FLOOR HIGHER AND WELL-VENTILATED,
THOSE JAPANESE HOUSE BUILDERS HAVE A LOT OF WISDOM FROM THEIR ANCESTORS
TERMITES DISLIKE THE WIND
CERTAINLY ..
YES

I DESIGN JAPANESE ARCHITECTURE BECAUSE I LOVE THAT THEY FIT IN WITH NATURE, BUT ..
RECENTLY ONLY WESTERN-STYLED HOUSES ARE BUILT, BE-CAUSE THOSE ARE MORE PLEASING TO THE EYES
JAPANESE HOUSES ARE JUST NOT POPU-LAR ...
SFX: WHAM
DAMN..!!
"DESIGN FITTING IN WITH NATURE"
I FORGOT SUCH A BASIC THING
I JUST FOCUSED ON GETTING ACKNOWLEDGED BY SOCIETY
I REALLY FORGOT IT...!
DEAR...

I WILL STRIVE TO MAKE HOUSES SUAVE FOR HUMANS AND WITH FEATURES TO FIT IN WITH NATURE!
ALSO FOR THE SAKE OF OUR CHILDREN'S FUTURE
THIS CASE OPENED MY EYES...
I WAS, UNTIL NOW, JUST NOT GOOD ENOUGH!
I'D LIKE YOU TO HELP ME...
FOR THIS I WILL NEED HELP
YES..
I WILL GO HOME!!
SFX: BYE, BYE
AH... I... I, I...
EH... EH?!
SFX HUG

SFX: VACUUM CLEANER
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WHAT? ISN'T EVERYTHING HERE SHAKING?!
DEAR!
"I THINK HE'S TALKING ABOUT THE BUILDING'S STRUCTURE
THE MARRIED ARCHI-TECTS?!
HELLO
EH?!
HOW ABOUT WE RECONSTRUCT THIS DETERIORATED MUSEUM?!
REJOICE, THIS WILL BE OUR FIRST JOB AS A TEAM!

TH... THIS PLACE BELONGS TO THE CITY... I CAN'T DECIDE THAT AT MY OWN DISCRETION
I HAVE A COMPLETELY NEW CONCEPT FOR YOUR MUSEUM TO PRESENT TO YOU!
WELL, WE'LL MAKE IT CHEAP
IN ROUND NUMBERS, THREE THOUSAND MILLION!
THREE
THREE THOUSAND MILLION?!
ONE, TEN, HUNDRED, THOU-SAND...
YOUR FEELINGS ARE MORE THAN ENOUGH
P... PLEASE GO TO SOMEONE ELSE
HA HA HA, WE ARE IN DEBT TO YOU, NO NEED TO BE RESERVED
OR WOULD IT BE FINE TO MAKE IT MORE EXTRAVA-GANT?
LET'S MAKE IT JAPANESE STYLE
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ACT.4/Train Molester's Idol

SFX. CLICK CLICK
カシャカシャ
HEY HEY!
ISN'T THAT HAGIWARA RIN?
HUH?
MELLOW AND LUXURIOUS
WAIN?
IT'S RIN-CHAN!
IT'S REALLY HER!

THEY FOUND OUT...
UH UMM
YOU'RE HAGIWARA RIN-CHAN, AREN'T YOU?
SO IT'S TRUE THAT YOU REALLY GO TO HANAJYO*!
I'M A FAN, WOULD YOU PLEASE SHAKE HANDS
* THE NAME OF THE SCHOOL
SORRY
NOW'S MY PRIVATE TIME. IT'LL TROUBLE THE OTHER COMMUTERS, TOO.
WOULD TAKING MY PICTURE BE ENOUGH?
AH... Y..YES!
KEEP ON SUPPORT-ING ME, OKAY!
Rin-chan
SFX: PSHHH

FUU...
SUCH IDIOTS.
IT'S LIKE...
THEY'RE A BUNCH OF ANTS SWARMING AROUND SUGAR.
BLECH
SHAKING HANDS WITH EACH AND EVERYONE OF THEM, YOU'VE GOT TO BE KIDDING ME!

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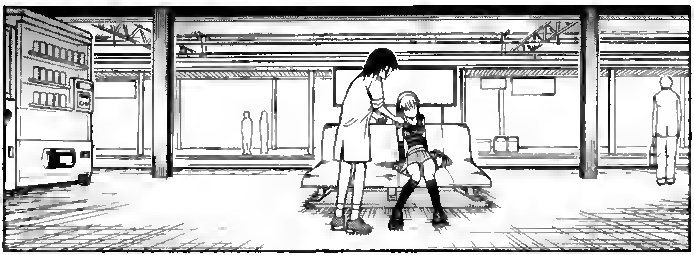
HA!
SFX: QUIVER
SFX: SQUIRM SQUIRM
WHA...
WHAT'S THIS..!?

AROUND THERE!
IT'S ITCHY ALL OF A SUDDEN...
HA
AH
AH!
AHHH...



SFX HAA(PANTING)

SFX OOHH
WHAT'S THE MATTER? IS IT ITCHY OVER HERE?
KYA!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
N-NO I WASN'T...
YOU'RE...
ENOKI... ENOKI INAHO?
EH?
THAT MUST BE IT...
ARE WE FROM THE SAME SCHOOL?

ENOKI INAHO
THAT FAMOUS BUG OTAKU AT MY SCHOOL!
EVEN THOUGH WE GO TO THE SAME SCHOOL, SHE DOESN'T RECOGNIZE ME...
?
HMPH!
PLEASE DON'T TOUCH ME WITH YOUR FILTHY HANDS, ALWAYS TOUCHING INSECTS!
I HATE OTAKU LIKE YOU THE MOST!

....IN JUST A SHORT AMOUNT OF TIME..
I GOT AN INFLAMMATION, TOO..
THIS IS...?

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SFX: LOTS OF PANTING
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HAH
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A...
AGAIN...!?
ITCHY..
I'LL ..DRAW ATTENTION TO MYSELF AGAIN..
NO...IF I RESIST, MY VOICE..
AH

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AH!
RUSTLE
WHO...
WHO WOULD DO SUCH A
SFX: HAH HAH
SFX: CAMERA FOCUSING

N...NO MORE
NO...
AAAAHH...
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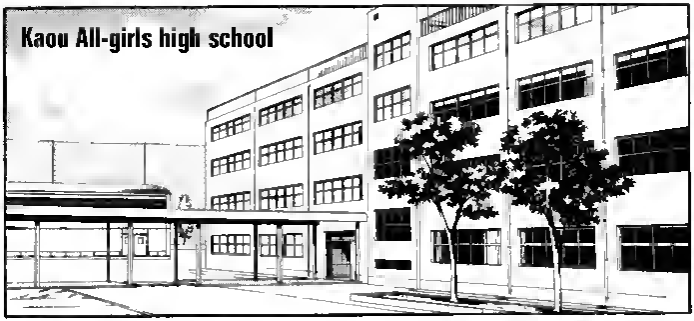
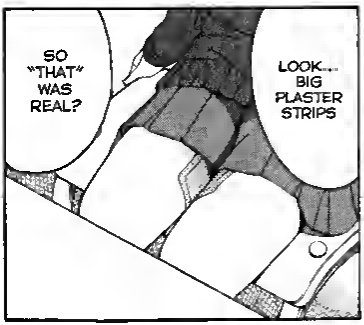
Are you alright?
HEY?
SFX SNICKER


Kaou All-girls high school


SO "THAT" WAS REAL?
LOOK... BIG PLASTER STRIPS

"THAT"?
YOU DIDN'T KNOW?
IT SEEMS LIKE THAT GIRL SHOWED UP ON SOME VOYUER WEBSITE.
AN EROTIC SITE?
YEAH, VERY EROTIC.
BEING AN IDOL REALLY IS HARD, HUH?
OH, BUT YOU KNOW THEY DO IT ON PURPOSE SO THAT THEY STAY IN THE SPOTLIGHT.
HER AV DEBUT?
IN REALITY, THEY LIKE DOING THOSE SORT OF THINGS. ♡
SFX: SLAM
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SFX: CLICK CLICK

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HAGIWARA RIN FAINTING IN AGONY IN THE TRAIN

LEWD IDOL, RIN-CHAN'S VERY PRECIOUS VIDEO

HAH HAH

KUU .

WHAT'S THIS? THEY WERE ABLE TO FILM THAT CLOSE
GODDESS
VENEREAL DISEASE?
WHAT LINE IND WHAT T AIN PLEASE TELL ME!
THIS IS ALL REAL!!
HOW SHOCKING...
EVEN IF IT WERE FAKE, IT'S OK
IT'S HEEEEEEEEERE!(∀) ——————!!!!
IS SHE CRYING?
POOR GIRL (; ∀)
NO PART 3 YET?
VERY EROTIC HAH HAH
THIS IS THE BEST!! ITADAKIMASU!
♪♪~

DON'T DO ANYTHING.
HUH? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
HELLO?
MANAGER?
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WITH THE SITUATION LIKE THIS...YOU UNDERSTAND, DON'T YOU?
CALLING
00:01:32
THE COMPANY WILL DROP YOU IF YOU DO ANYTHING ELSE
WHY?
I HAVEN'T DONE ANYTHING WRONG...
THEN THAT MEANS...!
N..NO WAY!

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NO ONE IS GOING TO HELP ME...
IF IT'S COME TO THIS..
I DON'T CARE ABOUT MY IMAGE ANYMORE!

WHAT'S THE PROBLEM, INAHO?
I'M NOT HUNGRY TODAY, SO JUST GO ON WITHOUT ME.
AH... NOTHING
.....
STOMACH GROWLING
IT WOULD'VE BEEN GREAT IF I HAD A BENTO
ENOKI-SAN!
ARE YOU FREE?
I WANT YOUR HELP ON SOMETHING.
WHO..ARE YOU?
SHE FORGOT?

WHO'S "OTAKU"?
OTAKU? AH, AT THE STATION
YOU KNOW, BECAUSE I TALKED TO AN OTAKU LIKE YOU!
YOU REMEMBER, RIGHT? IT'S HAGIWARA RIN!
...I SEE.
LIKE, A SUSPICIOUS MAN OR...
REALLY!? THINK HARDER!
WHAT I DIDN'T SEE, I DIDN'T SEE!
I DIDN'T SEE THE CULPRIT.
I'M SORRY, I ONLY HELPED YOU OUT OF THE TRAIN
SO SOMEONE DID THAT ON PURPOSE, YOU SAY?

I KNEW THAT I WOULD HAVE TO CATCH HIM ON MY OWN!
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IT WAS SILLY OF ME TO THINK THAT YOU COULD HELP.
FOR YOU, IT WILL DEFINITELY .
BE IMPOSSIBLE TO CATCH HIM.
GIVE UP...
WHY WOULD YOU SAY SOMETHING LIKE THAT!
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WH...

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HAA
DAMN IT...
EVERY-ONE'S MAKING FUN OF ME!
IF THAT'S THE CASE...
GUNG
MY MANAGER TOLD ME TO NOT DO ANYTHING, BUT...
AS IT IS NOW, I'LL...
GUNG

I HAVE TO CATCH THE CULPRIT...
PLEASE STAY BEHIND THE WHITE LINE.
THAT GIRL...
WHY IS SHE HERE?
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PLEASE WATCH YOUR STEP.
I'LL DEFINITELY FIND HIM ON MY OWN.
THE POLICE WON'T DO ANYTHING IF HE'S NOT CAUGHT RED-HANDED.
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I WAS SURE THAT THE CULPRIT WOULD BE QUICK TO ACT IF I WAS ALWAYS ON THE TRAIN
IT'S STRANGE...
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AH!
THAT OTAKU IS HERE. SO SHE MUST BE ON THE LOOK OUT?
I DON'T CARE ABOUT THAT. THIS IS MY PROBLEM.
IT WOULD BE FOR THE BEST IF YOU JUST WENT HOME
IF YOU'RE PLANNING TO FIND THE CULPRIT FOR MY SAKE, YOU'RE JUST IN THE WAY!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
HEY!

...
HMPH!
WH WHAT ?
YOU AREN'T INVOLVED IN THIS, TOO, YOU KNOW!
I GUESS THAT'S IT FOR TODAY...
I HAVEN'T GIVEN UP YET!!
YOU CAN GO HOME BY YOURSELF
!

HAA
HAA

SLIP
FOUND YOU.
WHAT WERE YOU PLANNING ON DOING WITH THIS!?

I WASN'T DOING ANYTH..
WH. WHAT!?
!?
I KNOW THE IDENTITY OF THE INSECTS THAT ARE IN THAT TEST TUBE!
THERE'S NO POINT IN HIDING IT.
INSECTS!?
ROVE BEETLES!!
THE PAEDERINAE SUBFAMILY, WHICH CARRIES POISON, IS A DANGEROUS INSECT!
IT'S A WELL-KNOWN SPECIES, EVEN AMONG THE ROVE BEETLES!

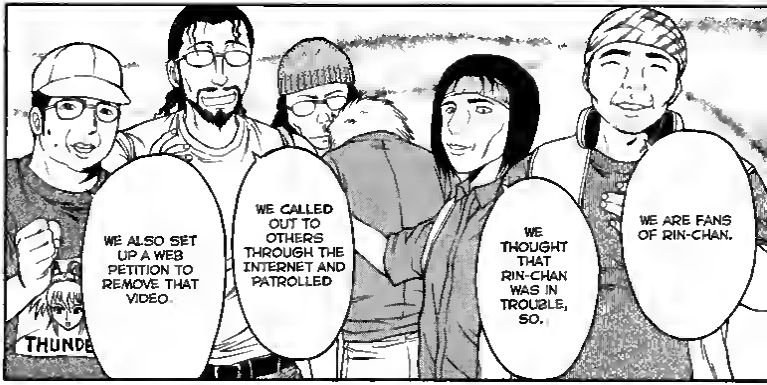
IN SITUATIONS WHERE YOU CRUSH ONE AND IT'S BODILY FLUIDS COMES INTO CONTACT WITH YOUR SKIN, INFLAMMATION WILL APPEAR AND YOU WILL EXPERIENCE AN INCREDIBLE ITCHINESS
COMING INTO CONTACT WITH THE AFFECTED PART WILL CAUSE IT TO SPREAD
A COMPLETE RECOVERY FROM IT WILL TAKE 2 TO 4 WEEKS
EGG LARVA PUPA ADULT REGARDLESS OF WHICH STAGE IN THEIR GROWTH, THEY HAVE TOXINS. IT'S A VERY SCARY INSECT!
BODY LENGTH: 5-7MM
THEIR EGGS HATCH 2-3 TIMES A YEAR. THE POPULATION GROWTH PEAKS AT AROUND JUNE. (VARIES PER REGION)
IT'S A VERY SCARY INSECT!
INSECT SECTION
ROVE BEETLE
.....
CAN EASILY GIVE EXCUSES LIKE IT WAS FROM CHEMICALS OR THAT OTHER INSECTS WERE USED
WITH JUST THAT KNOWLEDGE YOU...
WE WILL BE ARRIVING SHORTLY AT THE NEXT TRAIN STATION.

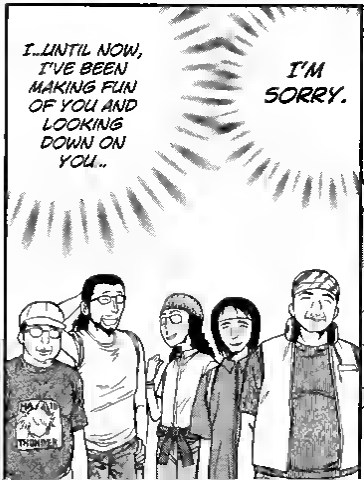
IDOL!! DON'T LET THAT MAN GET AWAY!!
EH!
EH!
YOU'RE IN THE WAY!!
SLAM

WE'VE GOT YOU, YOU FEEFING TOM!
APOLO-GIZE TO RIN-CHAN!
WE FANS WON'T STAND FOR THE LIKES OF YOU!
.....
YOU...
ENEMY OF INSECTS!!

A...
AND YOU GUYS ARE...?

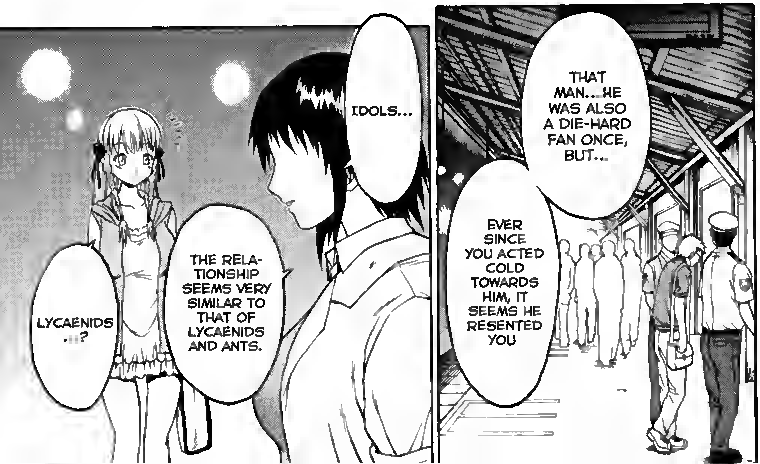
I MANAGED TO SAY IT..
DON'T YOU EVER USE THEM FOR EVIL EVER AGAIN!
THAT'S WHAT IT WAS..?

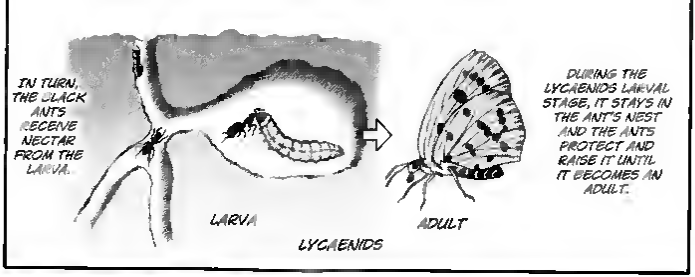

WE ALSO SET UP A WEB PETITION TO REMOVE THAT VIDEO.
WE CALLED OUT TO OTHERS THROUGH THE INTERNET AND PATROLLED
WE THOUGHT THAT RIN-CHAN WAS IN TROUBLE, SO.
WE ARE FANS OF RIN-CHAN.

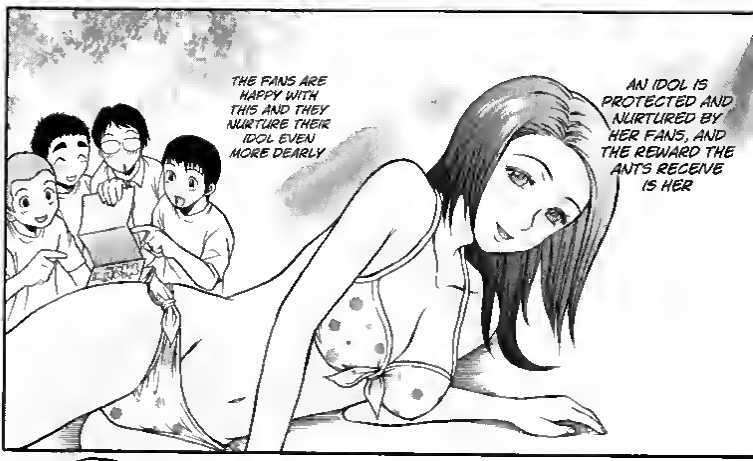

I..UNTIL NOW, I'VE BEEN MAKING FUN OF YOU AND LOOKING DOWN ON YOU..
I'M SORRY.

YES!
YOU ARE ALL... MY FANS?

I'M NOT ALONE...
THANK YOU...
I HAVE SUPPORTERS LIKE THEM AROUND ME...
THANK YOU, EVERY-BODY...


IDOLS...
THE RELA-TIONSHIP SEEMS VERY SIMILAR TO THAT OF LYCAENIDS AND ANTS.
LYCAENIDS ...!?
THAT MAN...HE WAS ALSO A DIE-HARD FAN ONCE, BUT...
EVER SINCE YOU ACTED COLD TOWARDS HIM, IT SEEMS HE RESENTED YOU

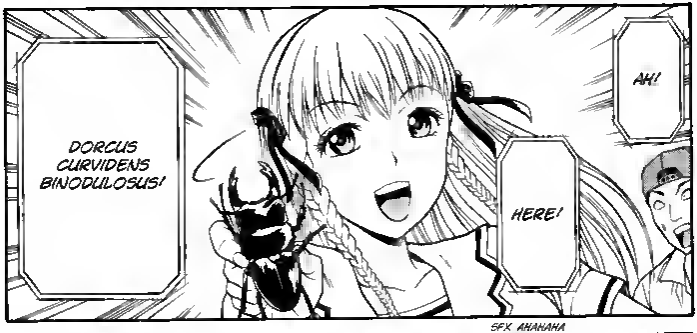

IN TURN THE BLACK ANTS RECEIVE NECTAR FROM THE LARVA.
DURING THE LYCAENIDS LARVAL STAGE, IT STAYS IN THE ANT'S NEST AND THE ANTS PROTECT AND RAISE IT UNTIL IT BECOMES AN ADULT.
LARVA
ADULT
LYCAENIDS


THE FANS ARE HAPPY WITH THIS AND THEY NURTURE THEIR IDOL EVEN MORE DEARLY
AN IDOL IS PROTECTED AND NURTURED BY HER FANS, AND THE REWARD THE ANTS RECEIVE IS HER

THIS MEANS THAT, AN IDOL SHOULD TAKE CARE OF HER FANS.
FANS WOULD TOLERATE SOME OF THEIR IDOL'S SELFISHNESS, BUT IF IT GOES TOO FAR, THEY CAN ALSO SEE THOSE AS PAINFUL EXPERIENCES.
.....

TH...THANK YOU FOR HELPING ME...
AH... OKAY.
I THINK IT'LL CURE THE INFLAMMATION FASTER.
A TOPICAL MEDICINE THAT I MADE...
MM.
BUT...HOW DID YOU KNOW THAT HE WAS THE CULPRIT?
I JUST COULDN'T FORGIVE THAT MAN WHO USED INSECTS FOR MALICIOUS PRACTICES.
N..NO...
THERE WAS POWDER THAT WAS SOLIDIFIED BY SWEAT ON THE CULPRIT'S HAND!
I HAVE ALSO HAD THIS WHENEVER I HANDLE POISONOUS INSECTS. ANYONE WITH A LITTLE KNOWLEDGE OF INSECTS WEARS THIN RUBBER GLOVES...

A AMAZING
SUCH KNOWLEDGE AND DISCERNMENT
WHEN IT SOLIDIFIES DUE TO SWEAT, WASHING YOUR HANDS JUST A LITTLE WON'T WASH IT OFF COMPLETELY
TO MAKE IT EASIER TO SLIP ON SOME GLOVES, THEY PUT POWDER ON THE INSIDE.
WHEN WE FIRST MET, A FIECE OF THE INSECT STUCK ON TO ME
AFTERWARDS, I KNEW THAT THE INCIDENT WAS DONE DELIBERATELY
SORRY... THE INSECTS AREN'T BAD...
I DON'T WANT YOU TO HATE THEM.



SFX. AHAHAHA

WHO IS THAT?
THE PERSON I RESPECT LOVES INSECTS, SO I'M STUDYING THEM
WHO ANSWERS WITH THE SCIENTIFIC NAME?
YOU KNOW A LOT ABOUT INSECTS
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ONE DAILY SPECIAL!

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